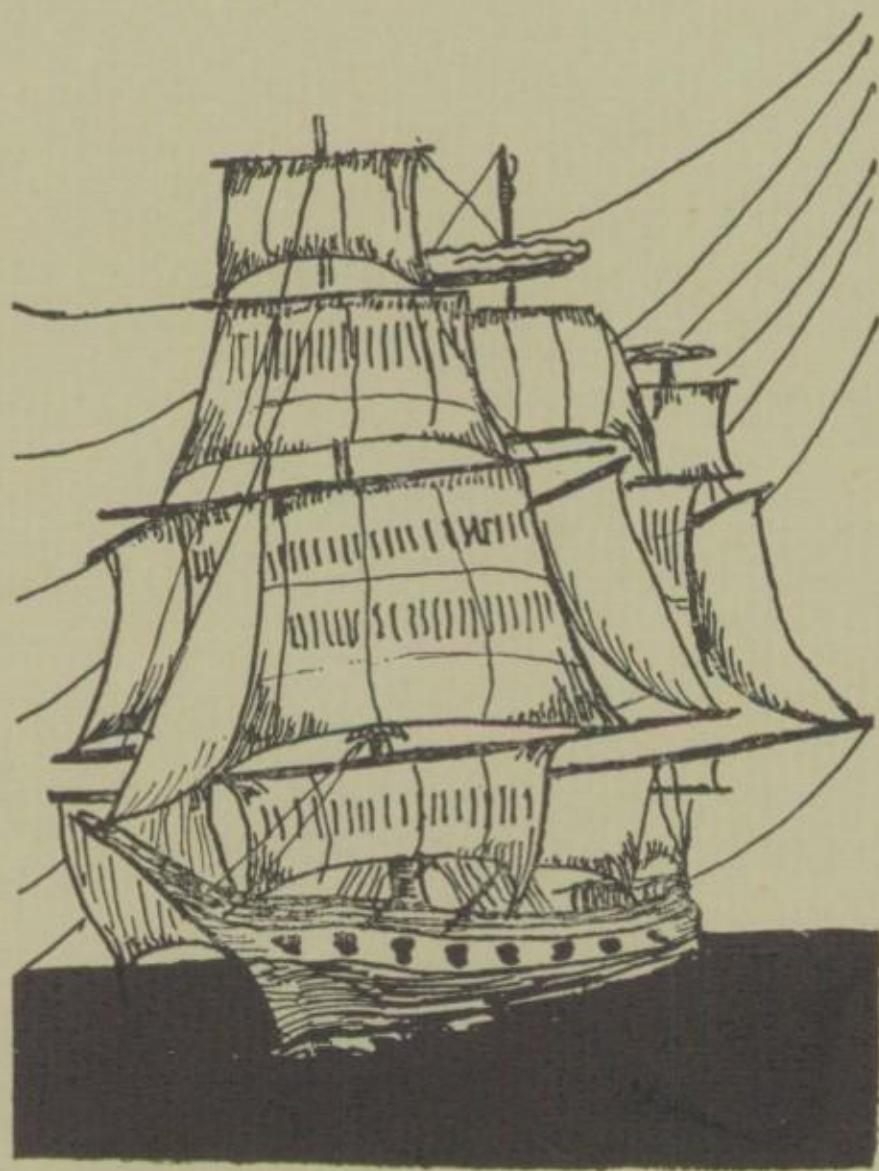


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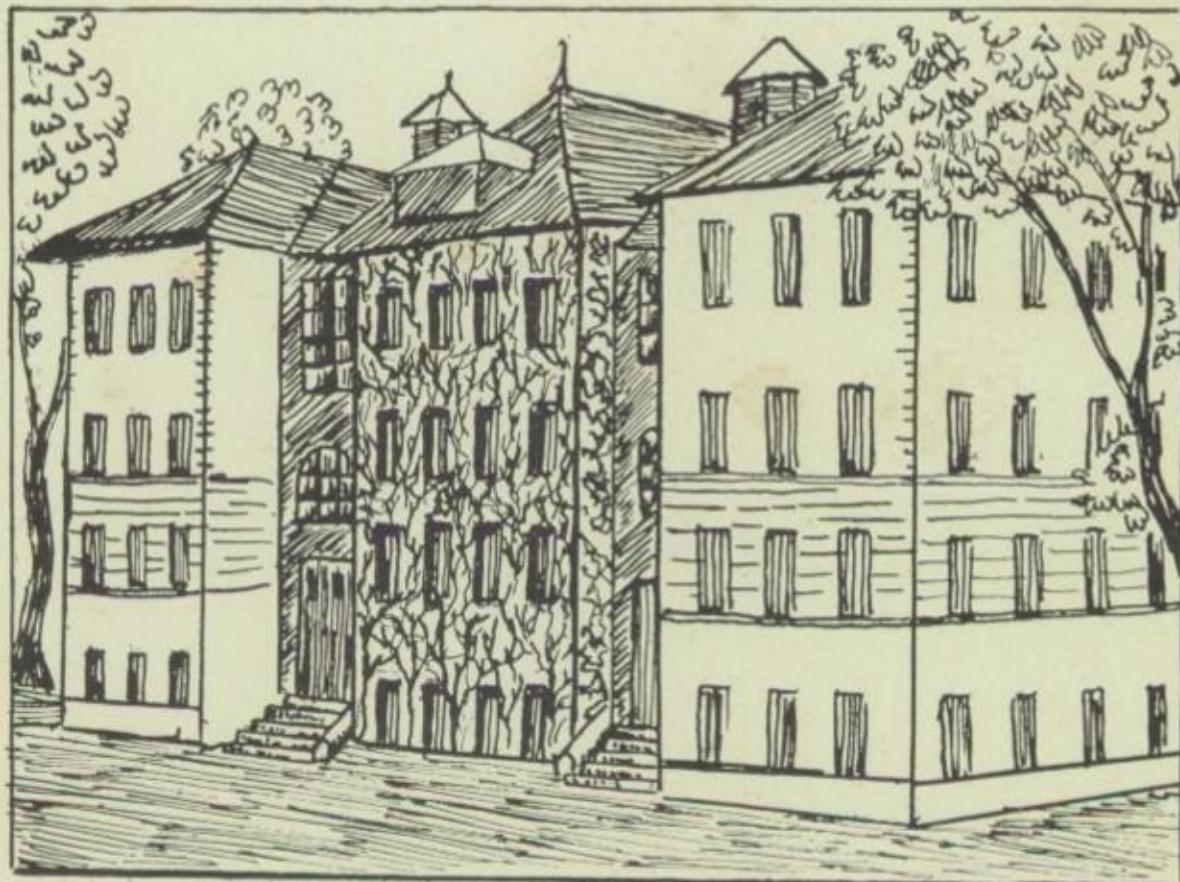
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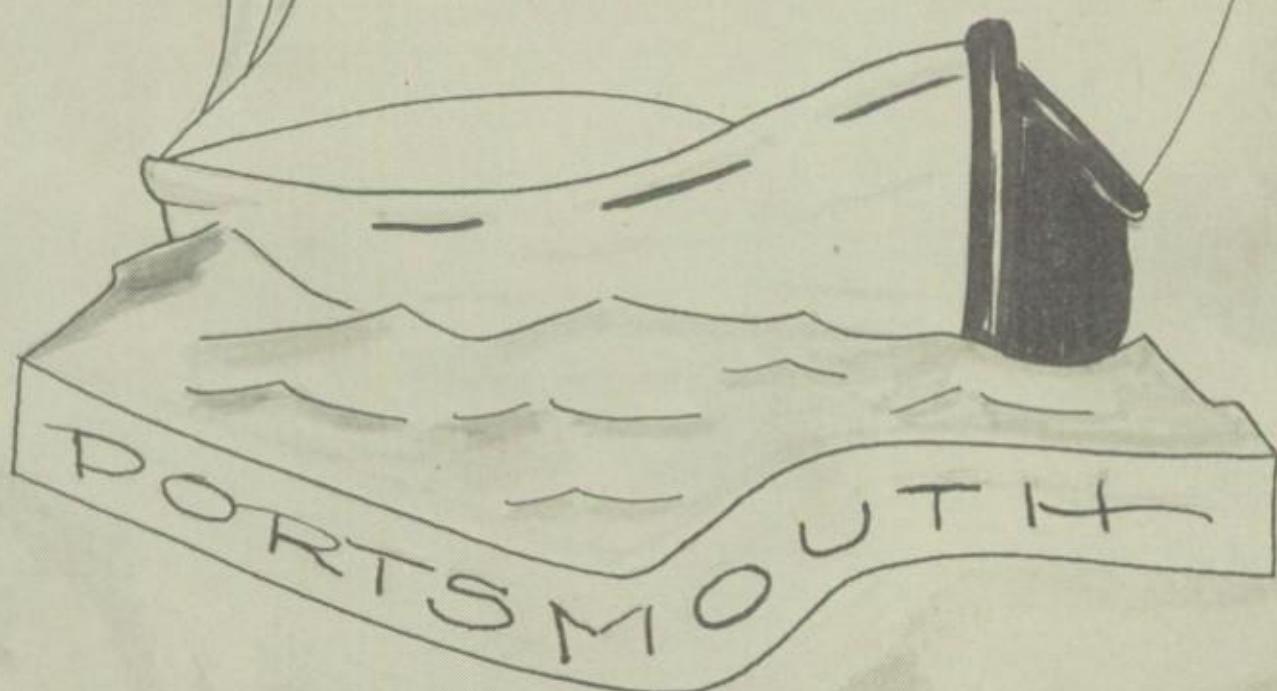
DEDICATION

As a token of appreciation of the long hours spent in guiding and directing our education for the past three years we, the members of the class of nineteen hundred fifty-one, dedicate the fifth edition of The Clipper to the teachers of Portsmouth High School.

THEME

The ring symbolizes the most important events in our lives: graduation from high school, completion of college, marriage.

A class ring is not just an ornament for the finger, it is the circle of unbroken friendship. After graduation the members of the class separate. Many, in these troubled times, will be sent to distant parts of the world. However scattered we may be, each ring with the familiar CLIPPER crest will be a link in the chain which binds those who have worked, played and studied together, and who share so many happy memories.



K. Peavies

Rolfe C. Banister

ADMINISTRATION



SUBMASTER ROLFE BANISTER, PRINCIPAL E. BLISS MARRINER

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1951:

You are now to enter upon a new phase in your life's journey. It may seem to you that the future outlook is rather dark and uncertain. However, a glance through the pages of history shows that people of many periods have experienced the same feelings, but they pressed forward with high hopes for a better day, gave their best to the tasks at hand, and practiced a great faith in a better future.

As a consequence, our world today, with all its faults, offers greater opportunities for service to mankind and for personal growth than we have ever known. Today as never before we need men and women with personal integrity, loyalty, high character, and religious fervor to lead us forward to greater achievements.

If you will accept this challenge you will make the greatest contribution toward a better world and you will experience the personal satisfaction of living a useful and productive life.

It is my hope that you will use your education toward becoming worthwhile citizens as well as sources of joy to those who have sacrificed for you.

I wish to extend to you my congratulations on completing the requirements necessary for graduation with my very best wishes for your future success.

Sincerely,

E. BLISS MARRINER,

Principal.



First Row: Mr. Barnes, Miss Shannon, Mrs. Fogg, Miss Flanagan, Mr. Marriner, Mr. Banister, Miss Sanders, Miss Talbot, Mr. Hargreaves. *Second Row:* Miss Farley, Miss Ballard, Miss Merriman, Miss Barron, Miss Brown, Miss Arkell, Miss Brady, Miss Blankenberg, Miss Hodgdon, Miss Wiggin, Miss Stulb. *Third Row:* Mr. Kushious, Mr. Linscott, Mr. Crossman, Mr. Alvord, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Malloy, Mr. Pomiccko, Mr. Blanchard, Mr. Casavola. *Absent when picture was taken:* Mr. Day, Miss Griffin, Mr. Lang, Mrs. Philbrick, Miss Winkley.

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DAVID KUSHIOUS, Music

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Industry

ESTELLE E. WINKLEY, French, English





"ROOM 12 AT ONCE!"



"THE SUBJECT FOR DEBATE IS . . . " "SHOULD WE GIVE AID TO ZENOBIA?"



"THIS WHEEL TURNS THIS ONE AND . . . "



THE CLASS OF 1951

A Comedy-Drama in Three Acts

The Scene: A building near the center of the city of Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

The plot:

ACT I. SEPTEMBER, 1948, TO JUNE, 1949

The opening scene finds the entire cast, a frightened group of sophomores, entering the portals of the Portsmouth High School. The members of the group look left and right along the corridors which seem to stretch endlessly before them, then reluctantly separate to find their classrooms. All the while they are conscious of being watched, with amused glances, by a superior group made up of juniors and seniors.

Classrooms found, they relax briefly as assignments are given out, then settle down to the serious business of adjustment to their new surroundings. Class officers are chosen: president, Bernard McCabe; vice president, Dorothy Breton; secretary, Sheila O'Donnell; treasurer, Leonard Daigle. Our able and patient advisers are Miss Griffin and Miss Sanders. With their help, the sophomores soon get into the swing of things.

Color and excitement are provided by club activities and sports in which the boys join and in which some, even as sophomores, gain distinction. A few of the girls win coveted positions as cheerleaders; these are Beverly Foss, Joan Mills, Marilyn Lee and Dorothy Anderson.

A belated Hallowe'en party is given by the juniors and seniors who are found to be pretty nice people after all. Mr. Phillips is cast as master of ceremonies and everyone has a wonderful time.

Before we realize it June has crept up on us and we look forward eagerly to a long vacation. At graduation, the spotlight falls on Nancy Nelson who wins a Haven Medal for outstanding scholastic ability. We are now a more confident group and have come to enjoy Portsmouth High School. The curtain falls on the first act.

ACT II. SEPTEMBER, 1949 TO JUNE, 1950

As the curtain rises on the second act the cast with a few minor changes again moves upon the stage. The corridors no longer seem endless and classrooms are found with ease. We move now with assurance and smile tolerantly in our turn at the sophomores but remembering our bewilderment of the year before, we pause here and there to lend a helping hand.

Now at last supers are promoted to bit parts, and some become featured players, while a few become stars. Chosen leaders this year are president, William Burt; vice president, Sheila O'Donnell; secretary, Shirleyanne Rondeau; and treasurer, Peter Massaro.

Clubs are again chosen carefully and a few juniors are elevated to important offices in them. Many boys become noted for their sports ability and several change their usual costumes for maroon sweaters and jackets with the white letter P. Basketball holds the center of the stage as usual in the winter months as Portsmouth adds another State trophy to its collection. Juniors Babula, Splaine and Coussoule are outstanding members of the team, Coussoule being one of the few juniors ever to win a place on All State.

Class rings are selected after great deliberation. The minstrel show, an annual event, is sparked by junior talent which accounts in part for its great success.

The junior play, "What A Life," is given in April, starring Beverly Petrillo, Kennard Palfrey, Gordon Aston, Elaine Goodreau, Richard Betz, and Patricia Connors.

Members of the class pledged to National Honor Society are Nancy Nelson, Helen O'Connor, Ruth Blakeney, Charles Davidson, Lorraine Cameron, Priscilla Rand, Suzanne Bachelder, Shirleyanne Rondeau, Sylvia Jones, Irvin Taube and Sheila O'Donnell.

Again the year flies by all too fast, but we are looking forward to raising the curtain on the last act when we shall be at last the "sophisticated seniors."

ACT III. SEPTEMBER, 1950, TO JUNE, 1951

The curtain rises and time seems to fly with all kinds of activities and the bustling excitement of our coming graduation. Along with the honor of being seniors there is a great deal

of work to be done with the added responsibility of leadership in Student Council, school paper, yearbook, clubs, and sports. With all the hubbub of measuring for caps and gowns, raising much needed funds by means of dances and plays, and attending school events and games, we still find time to go to school.

The "Clipper Review" plays to packed houses both nights and the idea, although completely different, is approved and considered better than ever! The senior play, "Double or Nothing," is a huge success.

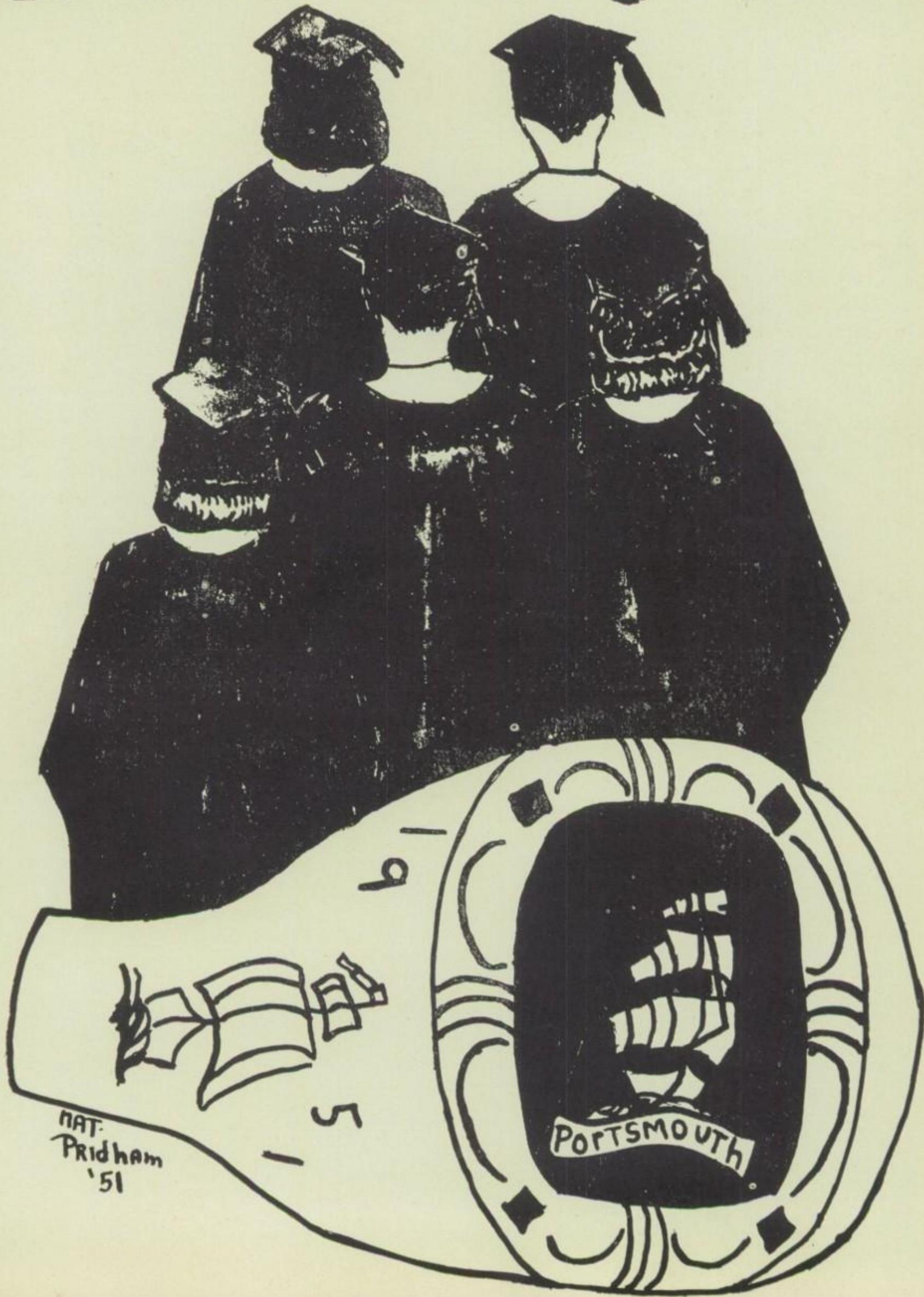
Shirleyanne Rondeau is chosen as our D. A. R. representative and Marilyn Lee wins the American Legion award. The boys continue to be outstanding in sports winning honors for the school in football, track and baseball, but especially in basketball with still another state championship. Three players from the senior class win places on the All State team: Paul Babula, Loukas Coussoule, and Arthur Splaine.

Class officers this year are: president, Arthur Splaine; vice president, Helen O'Connor; treasurer, Mose Bellucci; secretary, Sheila O'Donnell, and business manager, Albert Boyan.

A backward glance through the previous acts finds our group standing again on the threshold and again about to separate. This time it is not to find our homerooms, but to go out into a new life, vowing never to forget the wonderful years at Portsmouth High School.



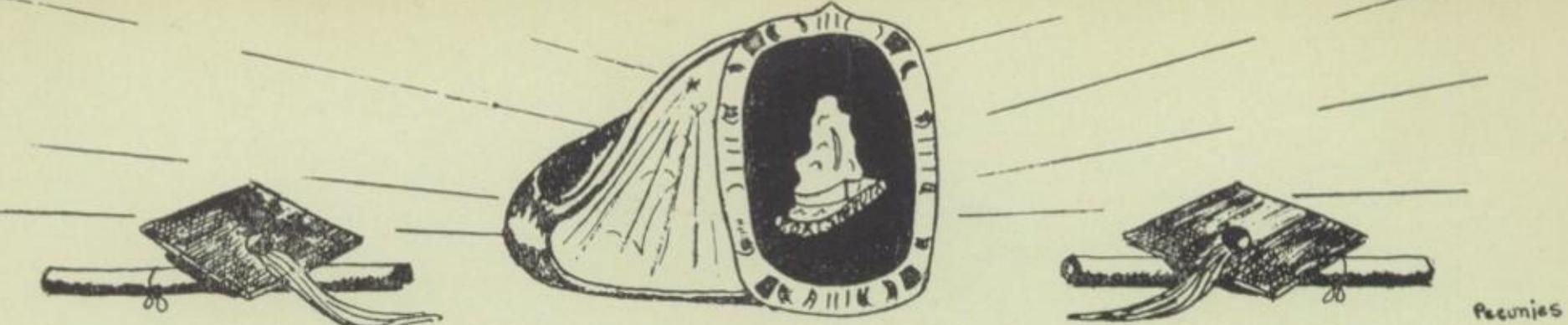
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SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Sheila O'Donnell, secretary; Arthur Splaine, president; Mose Bellucci, treasurer; Helen O'Connor, vice president. Absent when picture was taken, Albert Boyan, business manager.



PEANIES

Eleanor Allen

Nickname: "Cookie"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Allied Youth 2
Future Plans: Secretary



Robert Allen

Nickname: "Bob"
Course: Manual Arts
Future Plans: Mechanic



Sue Allen

Nickname: "Sue"
Course: Commercial
Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2
Future Plans: Secretary



Walter Alvey

Nickname: "Walt"
Course: General
Activities: Basketball 2
Future Plans: Coal Man



Arlene Ames

Nickname: "Amesey"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Hi-Lights 4; Girls' Hi-Club 4
Future Plans: Work

Dorothy Anderson

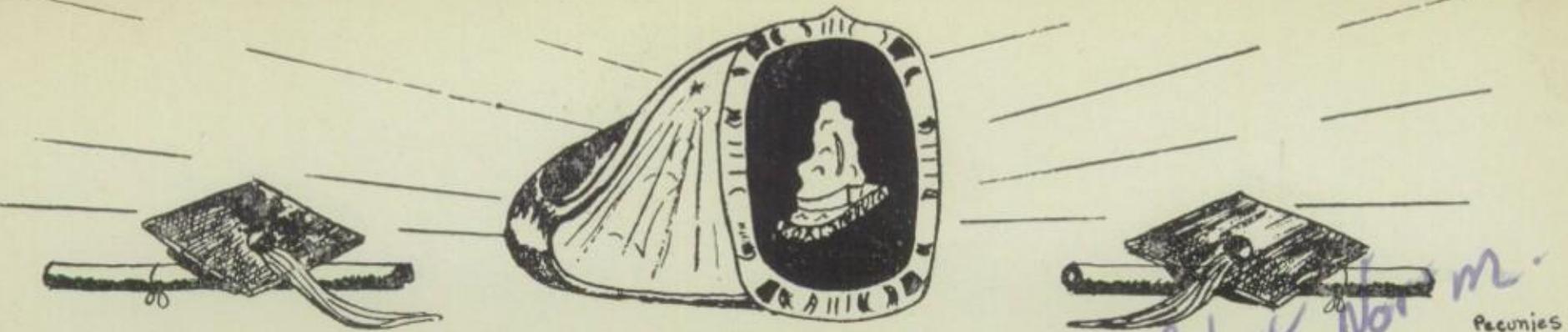
Nickname: "Dot"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Cheerleader 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 2, 3, 4; Clipper Review 4; F. H. A. 2; G. A. A. 2, 3
Honors: Treasurer, F. H. A.
Future Plans: Beautician

Marjorie Anderson

Nickname: "Margie"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Choir 3; Glee Club 3; Allied Youth 3, 4
Future Plans: Waves

Gordon Aston

Nickname: "Corky"
Course: Scientific
Activities: Biology Club 2; Allied Youth 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play
Future Plans: Chemist



Joyce Babkirk

Nickname: "Joyce"
Course: Commercial
Future Plans: Secretary



Paul Babula

Nickname: "Pro"
Course: General Scientific
Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4
Honors: Co-Captain of Football Team 4
Future Plans: College



Patricia Baird

Nickname: "Pat"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Year Book Staff; G. A. A. 2; Student Council 4
Future Plans: Physical Education Teacher



John Barron

Nickname: "Jack"
Course: General Scientific
Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Boys' Hi-Club 2, 3, 4
Honors: President of Boys' Hi-Club 4
Future Plans: Coach



Phyllis Bean

Nickname: "Phil"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Glee Club 2, 3; Biology Club 2; Allied Youth 2, 3
Future Plans: Business College

Mose Bellucci

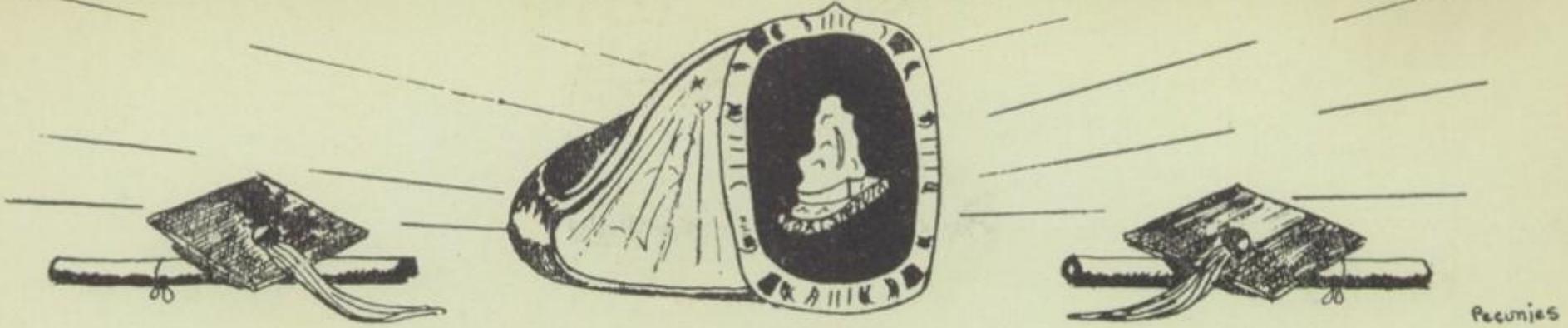
Nickname: "Moe"
Course: General Scientific
Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Clipper Review
Honors: Senior Class Treasurer
Future Plans: Marines

Richard Betz

Nickname: "Dick"
Course: Academic
Activities: Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Target Shooting 2, 3, 4
Future Plans: College

Ruth Blakeney

Nickname: "Ruthie"
Course: Academic
Activities: Latin Club 2; Glee Club 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Hi-Lights 2, 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Senior Play
Honors: National Honor Society 3, 4
Future Plans: College



Jean Blanchette

Nickname: "Jeanie"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Hi-Lights 3, 4; G. A. A. 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 4; National Honor Society 4
Honors: Secretary of Hi-Lights 3; National Honor Society 4
Future Plans: Secretary



Albert Boyan

Nickname: "Al"
Course: Academic
Activities: Glee Club 4; Choir 4; Year Book Staff
Honors: Business Manager of Senior Class
Future Plans: Salesman



Dorothy Breton

Nickname: "Dotty"
Course: General Scientific
Activities: Biology Club 2; G. A. A. 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Junior Play; Choir 4; Music Club 3; Clipper Minstrels 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; National Honor Society 4
Honors: National Honor Society 4; Secretary of Student Council 3; Vice President of Music Club; Vice President of Sophomore Class; Vice President of Girls' Hi-Club 4
Future Plans: Nurse



Gordon Brooks

Nickname: "Joe"
Course: Manual Arts
Future Plans: Farming



Marjorie Brown

Nickname: "Margie"
Course: General Scientific
Activities: Biology Club 2; Physics Club 3; Chemistry Club 4; Year Book Staff
Future Plans: College

William Burt

Nickname: "Wala-Wala"
Course: General Scientific
Activities: Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; Choir 3; Clipper Review 4; Student Council 3; Athletic Council 3
Honors: President of Junior Class; President of Allied Youth
Future Plans: Navy

Lorraine Cameron

Nickname: "Lulu"
Course: Academic
Activities: Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth 2; Year Book Staff; Biology Club 2; National Honor Society 3, 4
Honors: National Honor Society 3, 4
Future Plans: Study Home Economics at UNH

Lawrence Carville

Nickname: "Larry"
Course: General
Activities: Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Football 3, 4
Future Plans: Coach



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Joyce Caswell

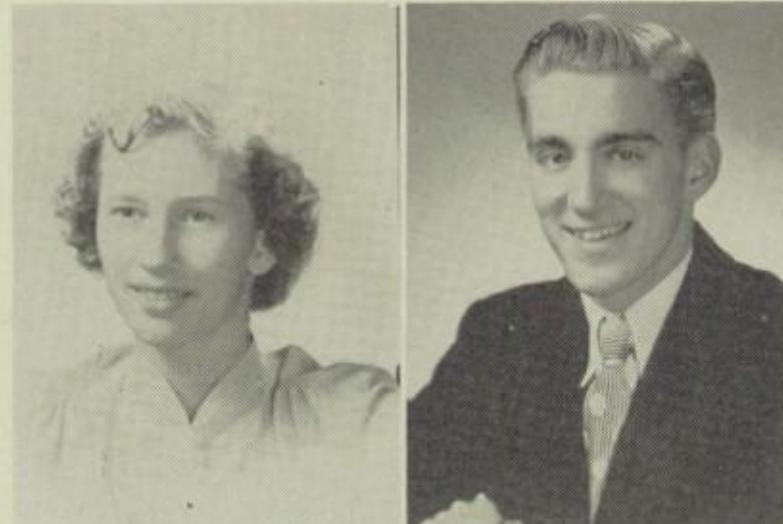
Nickname: "Joyce"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 2, 3; Hi-Lights 3, 4; Biology Club 2; G. A. A. 2; Dramatic Club 3, 4; Student Council 4; Spanish Club 4; National Honor Society 4

Honors: National Honor Society 4; Vice President of Dramatic Club 4

Future Plans: Religious Work



Robert Cilley

Nickname: "Bob"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Baseball 3, 4; Junior Varsity 2



Robert Chadbourne

Nickname: "Bob"

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: To get ahead



Dorothy Clark

Nickname: "Dot"

Course: General

Activities: Glee Club 4; Future Homemakers 2, 3, 4

Honors: Treasurer of Future Homemakers Club

Future Plans: Model Clothes



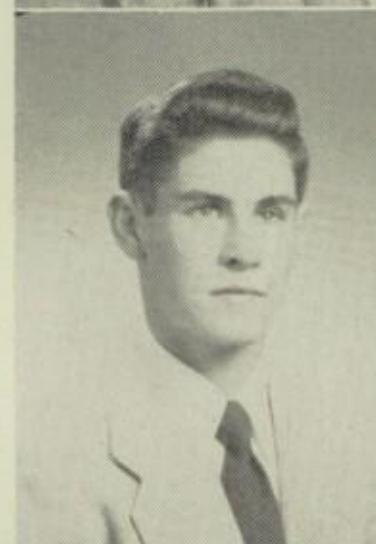
Rudluff Chainey

Nickname: "Rud"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4

Future Plans: Navy



Robert Conant

Nickname: "Bob"

Course: General

Activities: Cross Country 2, 3, 4; Spring Track 2; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 2

Honors: Captain, Cross Country 3

Future Plans: Farmer



Mary Chisholm

Nickname: "Chizzie"

Course: General

Activities: Band 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2; Photography Club 2

Future Plans: Travel



Barbara Connell

Nickname: "Barb"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Secretary





Patricia Connors

Nickname: "Pat"

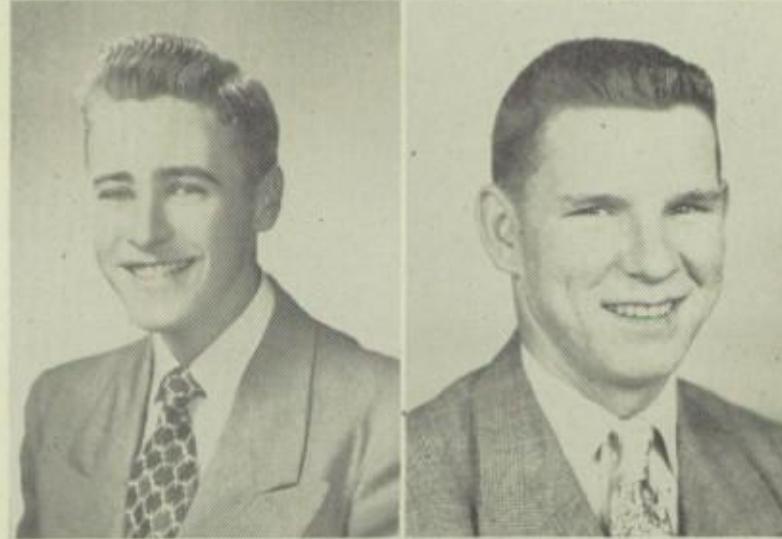
Course: Academic

Activities: Latin Club 2; G. A. A. 2; Glee Club 2; Choir 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Music Club 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4

Honors: Secretary of Music Club

Future Plans: Nursing

*with my very best
Don*



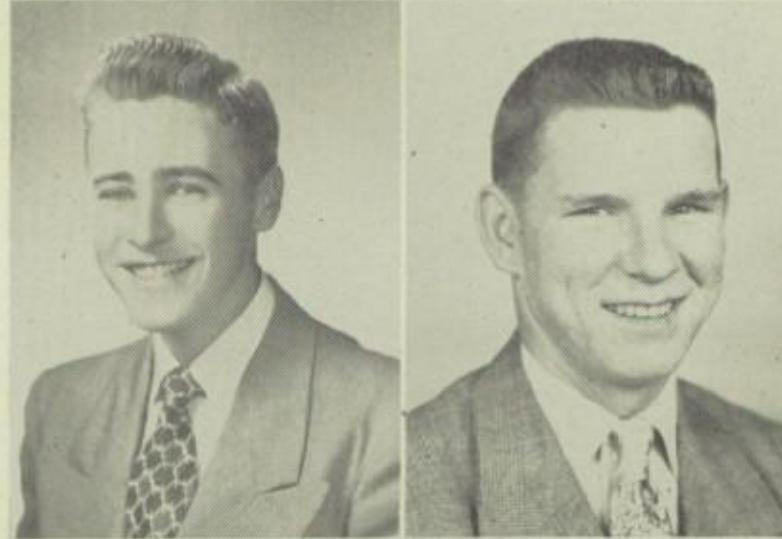
Donald Cooney

Nickname: "Don"

Course: General

Activities: Clipper Review 4; Winter Track 2, 3; Spring Track 2, 3; Golf 2

Future Plans: Professional Golfer



William Crawford

Nickname: "Bill"

Course: Scientific

Transferred from Key West, Florida

James Cotter

Nickname: "Pinky"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 3, 4; Chemistry Club 3; Physics Club 3; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 2; Minstrel Show 3; Choir 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Clipper Review 4

Future Plans: Army



Frank Crowley

Nickname: "Frankie"

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: Air Force

Loukas Coussoule

Nickname: "Luke"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3

Honors: Basketball Captain 4; All Tournament Team 3, 4

Future Plans: Coach



William Curtis

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: College

Priscilla Cutting

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Biology Club 2

Future Plans: Nurse



Joan Cyr

Nickname: "Joannie"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Glee Club 2, 3;
Allied Youth 2, 3

Future Plans: Secretary



Leonard Daigle

Nickname: "Buzzy"

Course: Academic

Activities: Clipper Review 4;
Basketball 1, 2; Student Coun-
cil 3

Honors: Sophomore Class Treas-
urer

Future Plans: Lawyer



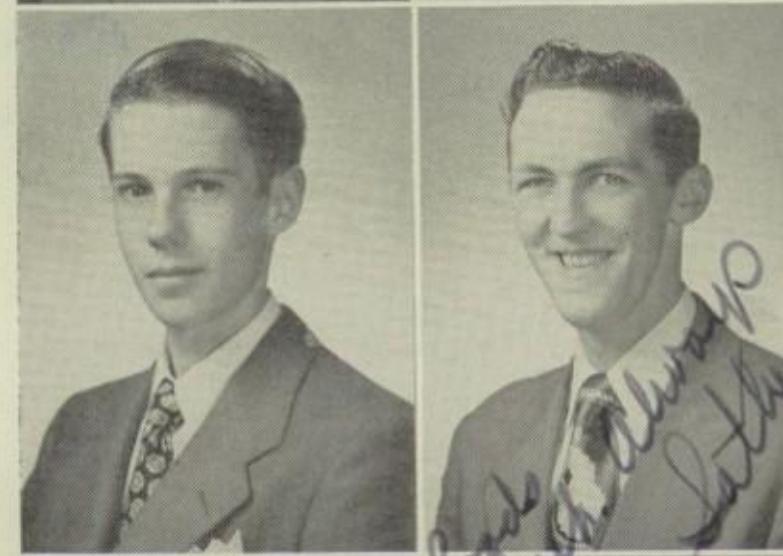
Charles Davidson

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Band 2, 3, 4; Or-
chestra 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2;
Biology Club 2; Debating
Club 2; Junior Play; Senior
Play

Honors: National Honor So-
ciety; All-New England Or-
chestra; Clipper Minstrels 3,
4

Future Plans: College



Helen Davis

Nickname: "Helen"

Course: General

Activities: Dramatic Club 2;
Glee Club 2; Photography
Club 2

Future Plans: Work



Delores Hanscom Day

Nickname: "Del"

Course: General

Activities: F. H. A.

Future Plans: Homemaker

Isabelle Deal

Nickname: "Izzy"

Course: General

Future Plans: Telephone Op-
erator

Walter Desotelle

Nickname: "Walt"

Course: Manual Arts

Future Plans: Navy

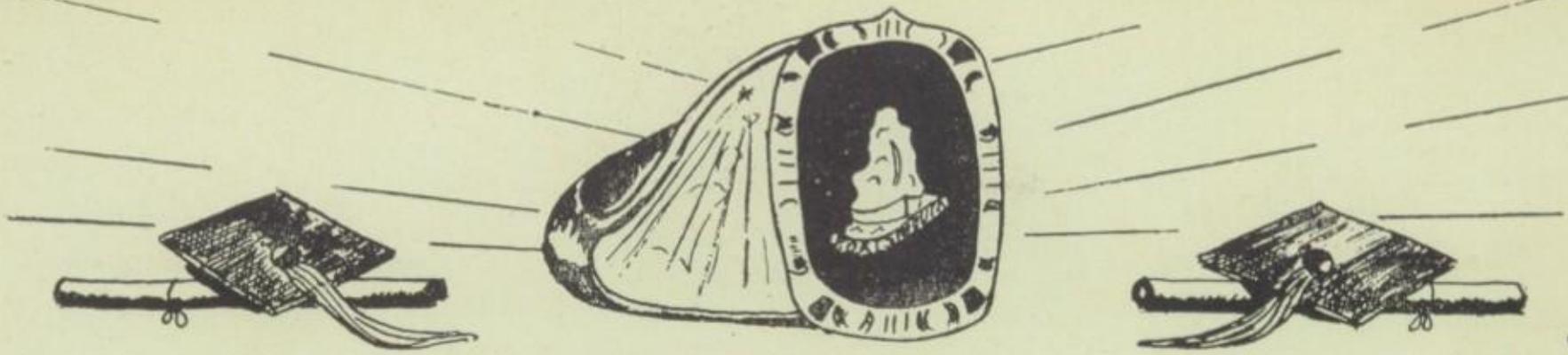
Sally Hatcher Dockham

Nickname: "Sal"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2; Clip-
per Minstrels

Future Plans: Stenographer



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Edward Duffy

Nickname: "Eddie"

Course: Academic

Activities: Choir 2; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Band 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Clipper Minstrels 2

Honors: Treasurer of Latin Club

Future Plans: Teacher



Joan Finnigan

Nickname: "Joannie"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Secretary



Georgia Eskijian

Nickname: "Cookie"

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: Officer in Waves

Cookie

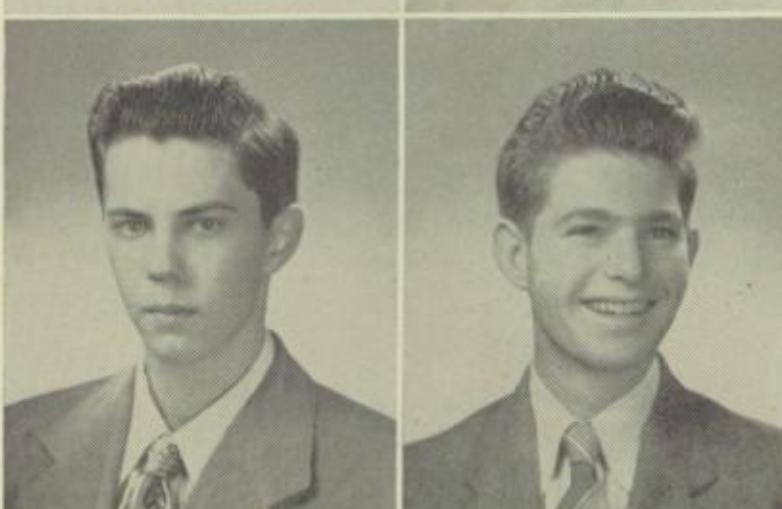


Ruth Fitzgerald

Nickname: "Ruthie"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Work



Diane Fleischman

Nickname: "Di"

Course: Academic

Activities: Biology Club 2; Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4

Future Plans: Nursing

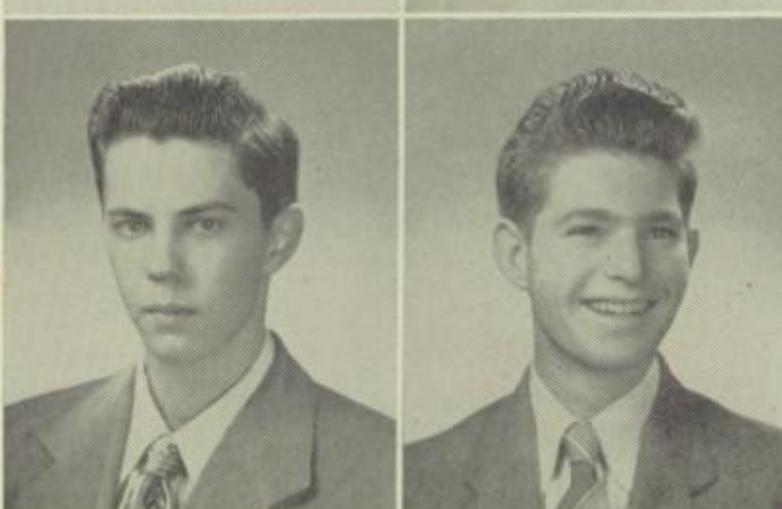
Stanley Feener

Nickname: "Stan"

Course: Manual Arts

Activities: Band 2, 3, 4

Future Plans: Musician

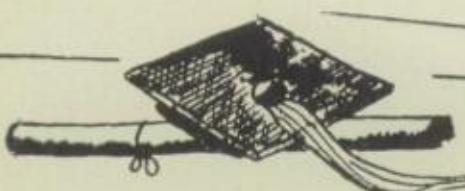


George Fogg

Nickname: "Red"

Course: Manual Arts

Future Plans: Navy



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John Fogg

Nickname: "Foggie"
Course: Manual Arts
Activities: Band 2, 4
Future Plans: Air Force



Marion Furber

Nickname: "Mal"
Course: Academic
Activities: Hi-Lights 2; Year Book Staff
Future Plans: Model

Beverly Foss

Nickname: "Bev"
Course: Commercial
Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 4; Clipper Review 4
Honors: Head Cheerleader
Future Plans: Waves



James Gallagher

Nickname: "Jimmy"
Course: Academic
Activities: Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2
Honors: All-State Band; All-New England Band
Future Plans: Musician

Roger Freeman

Nickname: "Rog"
Course: Manual Arts
Future Plans: Navy



Theresa Gallini

Nickname: "Tillie"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Biology Club 2; Hi-Lights 4; Year Book Staff
Future Plans: Typist

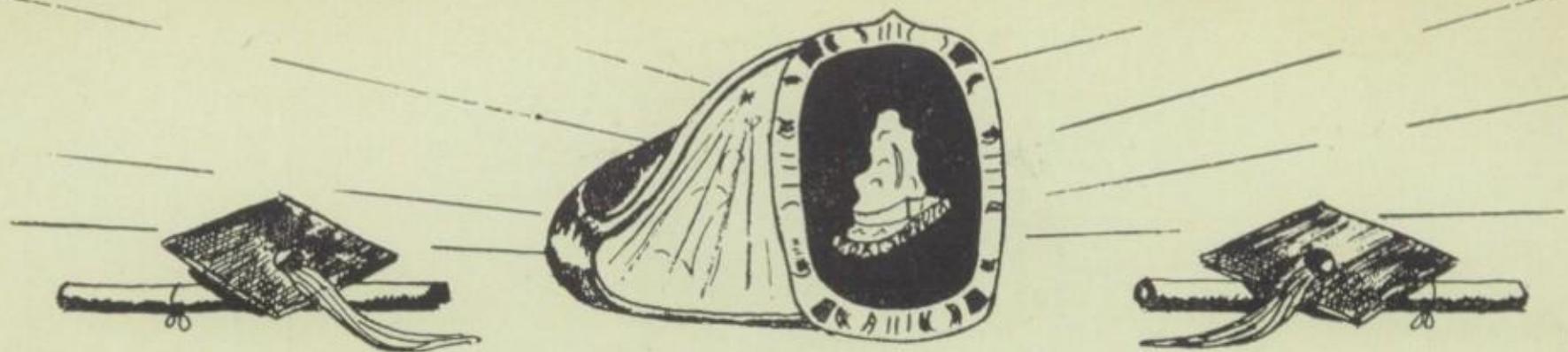
George Frost

Nickname: "Sonny"
Course: Manual Arts
Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4; Track 4
Future Plans: Electronic Technician



Judith Gardner

Nickname: "Judy"
Course: Academic
Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3; Spanish Club 4
Honors: Secretary of Spanish Club 4
Future Plans: College



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Charles Gerry

Nickname: "Frosty"

Course: Academic

Activities: Latin Club 2, 3; Allied Youth 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Play; Junior Play; Clipper Minstrels 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff

Future Plans: Officer in Navy



Stephen Gerth

Nickname: "Steve"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 2; Track 2, 4

Future Plans: Doctor



Jacquelin Gillespie

Nickname: "Jackie"

Course: Academic

Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Latin Club 2; Biology Club 2; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Senior Play; Year Book Staff; Clipper Minstrels 2, 4

Honors: All-State Band 3, 4; All-New England Band 3, 4; National Honor Society; All-Star Basketball

Future Plans: Nursing



Elaine Goodreau

Nickname: "Bunny"

Course: Academic

Activities: National Honor Society 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Latin Club 2; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3

Honors: National Honor Society

Future Plans: Medical Secretary



Nancy Gorman

Nickname: "Nan"

Course: Academic

Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4

Honors: National Honor Society 4; All-State Band 3, 4; All-New England Band 4; Secretary of Girls' Athletic Association

Future Plans: College

Barbara Grant

Nickname: "Barb"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Glee Club 2; Choir 2; New England Music Festival 2; State Music Festival 2; Year Book Staff

Future Plans: Secretary

Douglas Gray

Nickname: "Doug"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Student Council 4; Track Manager 3; Golf 4; Senior Play 4; Junior Play 3; Year Book

Honors: President Student Council

Future Plans: Conservation Officer

Elizabeth Gray

Nickname: "Betty"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Office Worker



Jean Hall

Nickname: "Red"

Course: Academic

Activities: Latin Club 1; G. A. A. 1

Future Plans: Buyer



Priscilla Ham

Nickname: "Pussy"

Course: Commercial; General Scientific

Activities: Band; Hi-Club; G. A. A.

Future Plans: X-Ray Technician



Rowena Hardy

Nickname: "Row"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Biology Club; Glee Club 2, 3; Hi-Club 4; Junior Play; Clipper Minstrels 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2; Year Book

Future Plans: Nurse



Marilyn Hartson

Nickname: "May"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Glee Club 2, 3

Future Plans: Women's Air Force



Grace Hayden

Nickname: "Gracie"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Year Book Staff; National Honor Society 4

Honors: National Honor Society 4

Future Plans: Secretary

Michael Hegarty

Nickname: "Mike"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Junior Play 3; Senior Play 4; Year Book; Boys' Hi-Club 3, 4; Biology Club 2

Future Plans: Navy

Walter Hett

Nickname: "Walt"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 1, 3, 4

Future Plans: Entomologist, Research Chemist

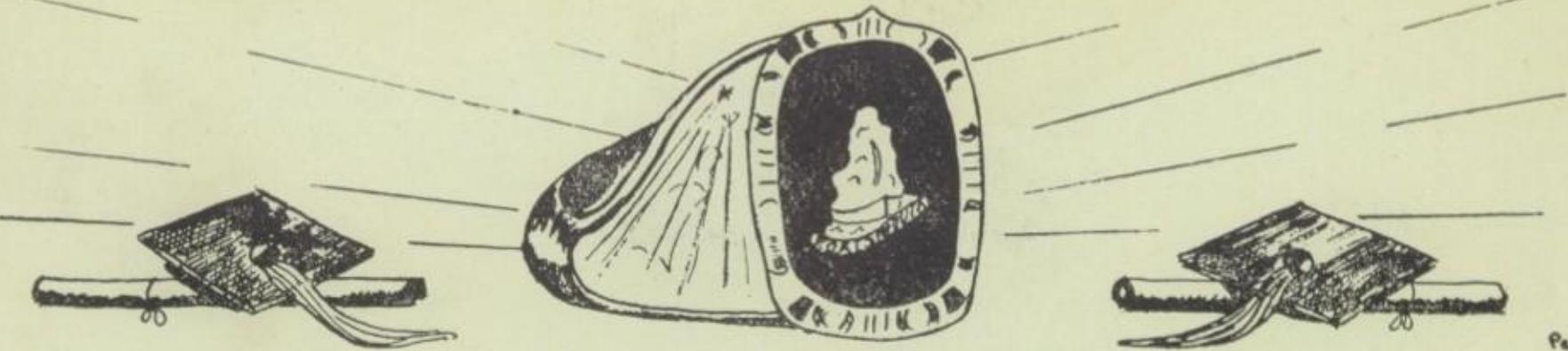
Marion Hodges

Nickname: "Hodgie"

Course: Academic

Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Lights 4; Clipper Minstrels 2, 3, 4; All-New England Choir 4

Future Plans: College



Sylvia Jones

Too a fellow
A Y willy G R C O

Nickname: "Jonesy"
Course: Academic
Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2; Latin Club 2, 3; Biology Club 3; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Year Book; Junior Play; National Honor Society

Honors: National Honor Society Secretary; Girls' Hi President; Orchestra Secretary-Treasurer; All-State

Future Plans: Nurse



Eleanor Killough

Nickname: "Ellie"

Course: Academic

Activities: Hi-Club; Choir 3, 4; Glee Club 2; G. A. A.; Clipper Minstrels 2, 3, 4; Junior Play

Future Plans: College



William Knight

Nickname: "Bill"

Course: Manual Arts

Activities: Band; Orchestra; Choir; Dance Band

Honors: All-State

Future Plans: Teacher or Musician



Normand Larrivee

Course: General

Activities: Allied Youth; Year Book

Future Plans: Teacher



Pearl Lau

Nickname: "Nicky"

Course: Academic

Activities: Biology Club 3; Glee Club 3; Hi-Lights; Hi-Club 4; Year Book

Future Plans: Teacher

Future Plans: Navy

Lawrence Kent

Nickname: "Larry"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Activities: Student Council; Year Book Staff

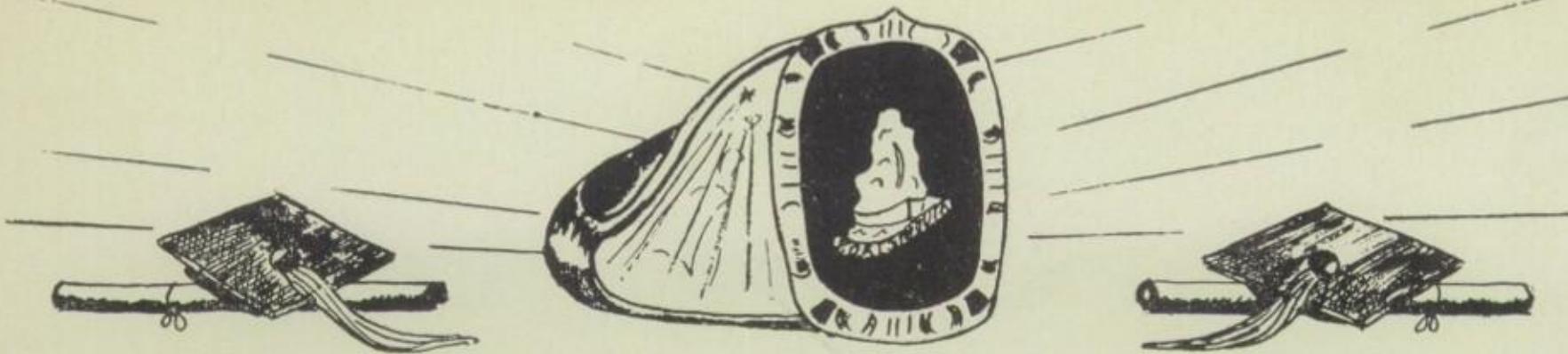
Future Plans: Florist

Jean Kidd

Nickname: "Jean"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Secretary



Pecanies

Maureen Leahy

Course: Commercial

Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 2; Hi-Lights 4; Year Book; Junior Play 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3

Honors: Secretary G. A. A.

Future Plans: Air Force



Frederick Locke

Nickname: "Buddy"

Course: Manual Arts

Activities: Football

Future Plans: Navy



Marilyn Lee

Nickname: "May"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Orchestra 2; Band 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Year Book Staff; Clipper Review 4; American Legion Oratorical Contest 4

Honors: Vice President Allied Youth 2; Girls' State Representative 3; A. L. Oratorical Winner 4

Future Plans: English Teacher



John Lyons

Nickname: "Sonny"

Course: Commercial

Activities: National Honor Society 4; Winter Track 2, 3, 4; Spring Track 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 3, 4

Honors: Treasurer National Honor Society 4; Captain Winter Track 4

Future Plans: Navy



Marie Levangie

Nickname: "Red"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 4; G. A. A. 3, 4; Hi-Lights 4

Future Plans: Waves or Telephone Operator



Lois Mahoney

Nickname: "Loie"

Course: Commercial

Activities: G. A. A. 2; Majorette 3, 4

Future Plans: Secretary



Elizabeth Margeson

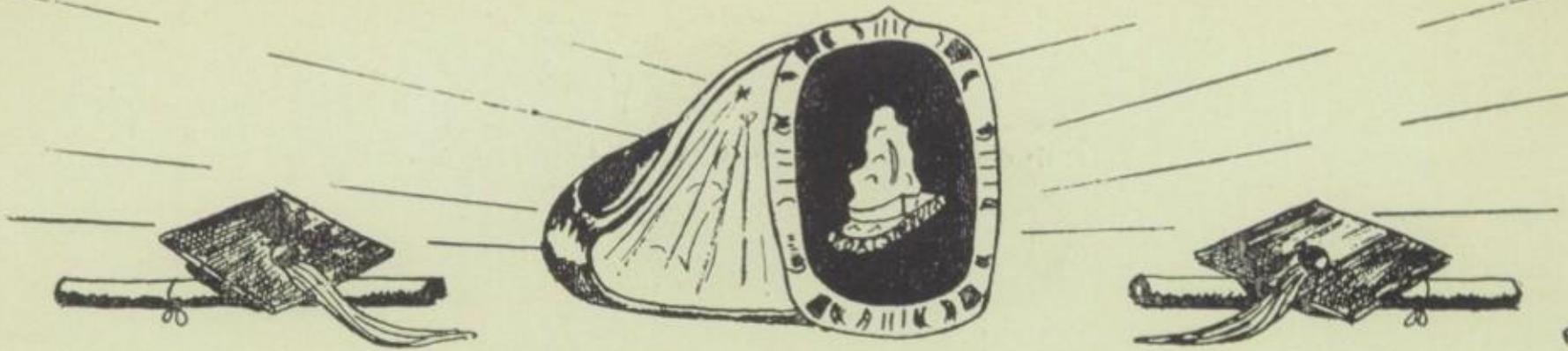
Nickname: "Betty"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Choir 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Latin Club 2; Hi-Club 1; Clipper Minstrels 2, 3, 4; Junior Play

Future Plans: College

Theresa Levasseur
Nickname: "Terry"
Course: Commercial
Activities: Year Book; Girls' Hi-Club; Student Council; Honor Society
Honors: National Honor Society
Future Plans: Civil Service Employee



Pecunies

Peter Massaro

Nickname: "Pete"

Course: Academic

Activities: Boys' Hi-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2; Basketball 2; Student Council 3, 4; Year Book Staff; Hi-Lights 2; Biology Club 2; Hi-Club Scandals 2

Honors: Junior Class Treasurer

Future Plans: Merchant Marine



Nancy Matthews

Nickname: "Nan"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Glee Club 4; G. A. A. 4

Future Plans: Nurse



James Mavrikis

Nickname: "Don"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Youth Fellowship

Future Plans: Navy



Shirley Mayo

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Waves, Officers' Training



John McCue

Nickname: "Mac"

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: Navy

Benjamin McKeen

Nickname: "Ben"

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: U. S. Air Force

Marion McNabb

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Waves

Best of Luck Marion
Red McNeil

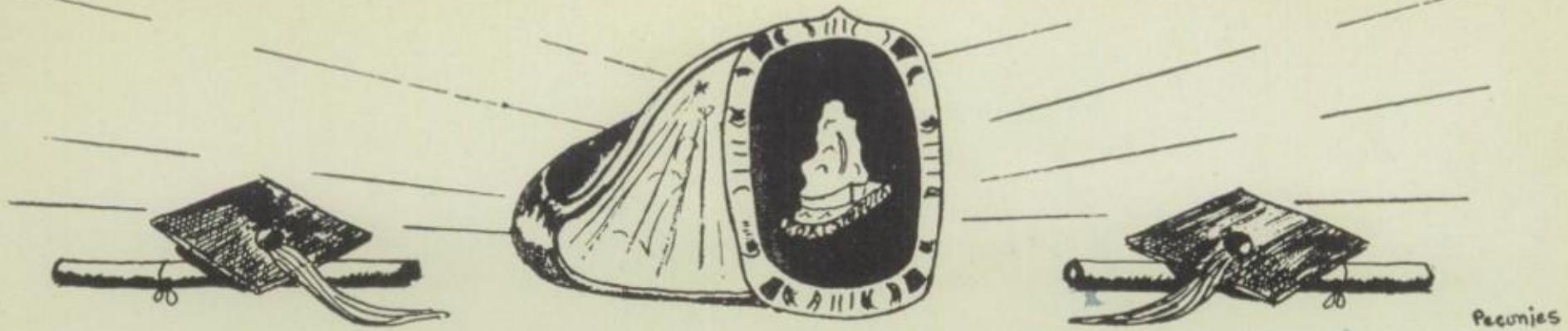
Richard McNeil

Nickname: "Red"

Course: General

Activities: Year Book, Clipper Minstrels

Future Plans: Salesman



Peconies

Joan Mills

Nickname: "Jo" "Joanie"

Course: General

Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 2, 4;
G. A. A. 3; Cheerleader 2, 3,
4; Clipper Minstrels

Future Plans: Teacher



Mary Mirosole

Nickname: "May"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Secretary or Telephone Operator



Harold Morrill

Nickname: "Harry"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Activities: Spring Track 2, 3;
Football 2; Winter Track 4

Future Plans: Own a business



Priscilla Morton

Nickname: "Mort"

Course: Academic

Future Plans: Linotypist



George Moynahan, Jr.

Nickname: "Irish"

Course: General

Activities: Track

Future Plans: Navy

Kay Munro

Nickname: "Coasty"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: G. A. A. 2; Glee Club 2

Future Plans: Coast Guard

Hannah Moynahan

Course: Academic

Activities: Latin Club 2; Biology Club 2; Hi-Lights Staff 4; Dramatic Club 4; Year Book Staff; Glee Club 3, 4; Student Council 4; Senior Play

Honors: Honor Society 4; Vice President Glee Club 4

Future Plans: Nurse

Raymond Murphy

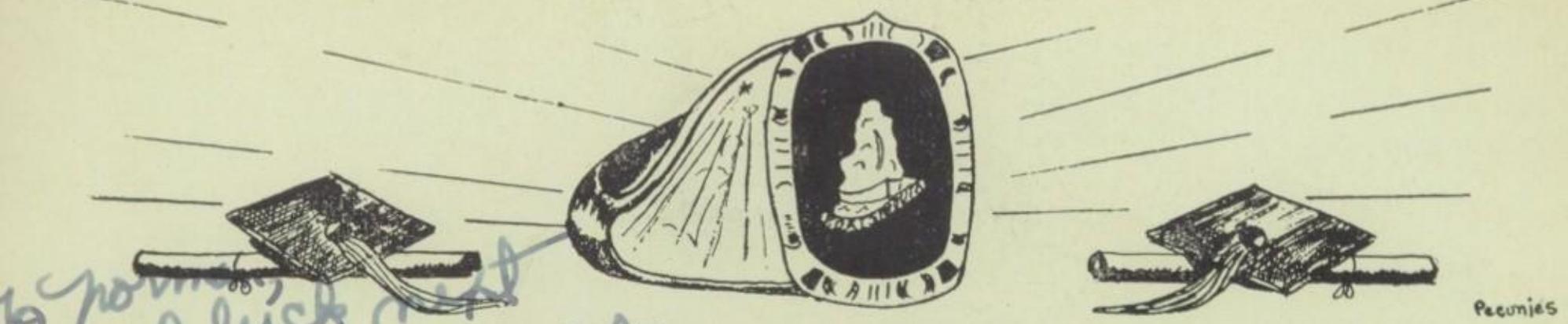
Nickname: "Murph"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2; Track 2, 3

Honors: Honorable Mention All State Football 3

Future Plans: Milkman



Nancy Nelson

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Hi-Club 3, 4; Hi-Light Staff 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff

Honors: Vice President Honor Society 4

Future Plans: Nurse



Sherman Newton

Nickname: "Bunky"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Band 2, 3; Orchestra 2, 3; Boys' Hi-Club 2, 3, 4; Clipper Minstrels 3; Clipper Review 4

Honors: Secretary Boys' Hi-Club

Future Plans: Hotel Administration



Norman Nichols

Nickname: "Gus"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Band 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Clipper Minstrels 2, 3, 4; All New England Choir 4

Future Plans: College

Good luck next year



Shirley Nickerson

Course: Commercial

Activities: G. A. A. 2

Future Plans: Secretary



Robert Norris

Nickname: "Bob"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Future Plans: Pilot

Muriel Noseworthy

Course: General

Activities: Hi-Club 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4

Honors: G. A. A. Medal

Future Plans: Cooking School

Helen O'Connor

Course: Academic

Activities: Latin Club 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Year Book Staff; Senior Play Prompter; Student Council 3, 4

Honors: National Honor Society 4; Latin Club Aedile; Vice President Senior Class; Girls' State 1950

Future Plans: Dental Hygienist

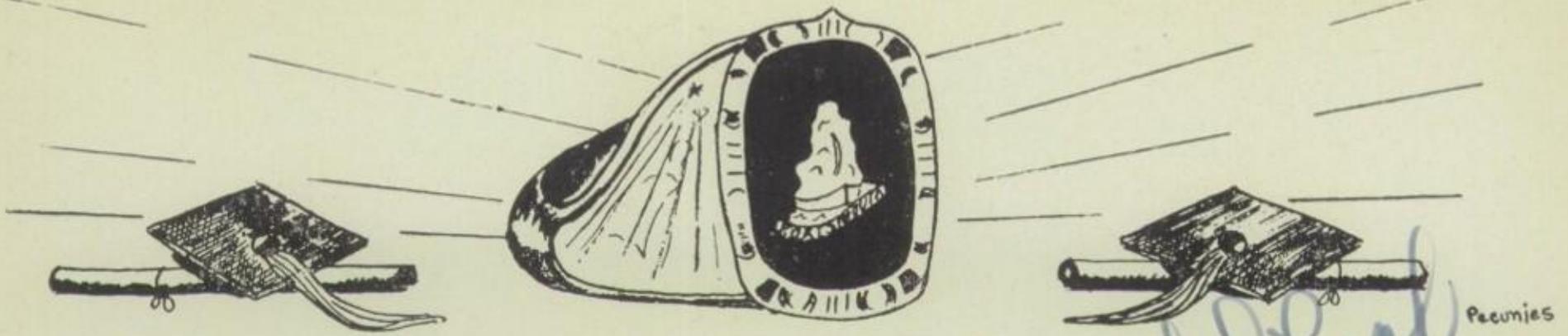
Sheila O'Donnell

Course: Academic

Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2; Choir 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; Honor Society 3, 4

Honors: Class Secretary 2; Vice President 3; Secretary 4; National Honor Society 4; President G. A. A. 4; Girls' State 3

Future Plans: Secretary



Florence Oroski

Nickname: "Bumpsie"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Allied Youth 2, 3, 4;
Cooking Club 2, 3; Glee Club 2

Future Plans: Secretary



Clyde O'Sullivan

Nickname: "Clem"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Future Plans: Navy



Ellen Page

Nickname: "Page"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Girls' Hi-Club 4; Year Book Staff; National Honor Society 4

Honors: National Honor Society 4

Future Plans: Secretary



Kennard Palfrey

Nickname: "Mill"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Junior Play; Senior Play; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4

Honors: President Honor Society 4

Future Plans: Petroleum Engineer



Best of Luck
Pecunies

Patricia Palmer

Nickname: "Pat"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Future Homemakers of America 2; Year Book Staff

Future Plans: Private Secretary

Nicholas Paras

Nickname: "Nick"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Activities: Football 2, 3, 4

Jack Parisi

Nickname: "Chick"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Future Plans: Navy

Kay Pecunies

Course: General

Activities: Year Book Staff

Hi-Lights Staff 3, 4

Future Plans: Artist or Dancer



Pecunias

Joan Pennell

Course: General Scientific

Activities: G. A. A. 2, 4; Glee Club 2, 3

Future Plans: Nurse



Beverly Perham

Nickname: "Bev"

Course: Commercial

Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Allied Youth 2, 3; F. H. A. 2

Future Plans: Air Force



Emil Peschel

Course: Mechanic Arts

Activities: National Rifle Association 3

Future Plans: Navy



Richard Peterson

Nickname: "Pete"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Future Plans: Businessman



Beverly Petrillo

Nickname: "Bev"

Course: Academic

Activities: Dramatic Club; G. A. A.; Glee Club; Latin Club; Hi-Club; Allied Youth; Hi-Lights Staff; Year Book Staff

Honors: President Dramatic Club; President Hi-Lights; President Glee Club; Treasurer Hi-Club; Vice President Student Council

Future Plans: Commercial Artist

Eleanor Pickering

Nickname: "Tessie"

Course: Commercial

Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3; Hi-Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Lights Staff 3, 4; Year Book Staff

Future Plans: Office Worker

David Pickett

Nickname: "Dave"

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: Navy

David Pickett
1951

Frank Pinney

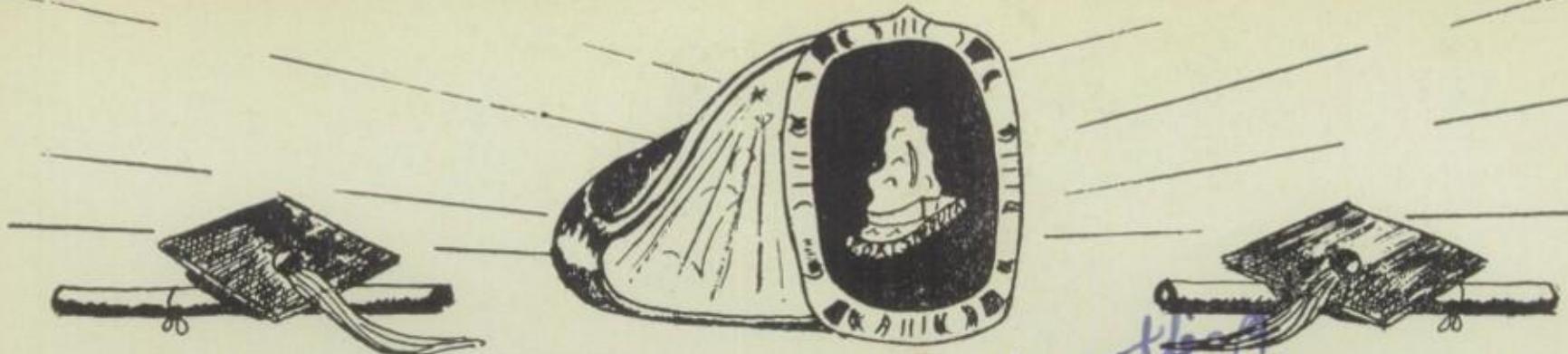
Nickname: "Frank"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Student Council

Future Plan: Being drafted

Good Luck
Frank



Pecunies

Richard Prevost

Course: Mechanic Arts

Course: Mechanic Arts

Future Plans: Air Force



*Set of weight
to you in future*

Cynthia Pridham

Nickname: "Cyn"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2; Choir 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3

Future Plans: Civil Service Worker



Nathalie Pridham

Nickname: "Nat"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Lights 4; Year Book Staff 4; Hi-Club 3, 4

Honors: All State Orchestra 2, 3, 4; All New England Orchestra

Future Plans: Musician



Helen Rand

Nickname: "Lala"

Course: General

Future Plans: Nurse



Priscilla Rand

Course: Academic

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Latin Club 2; Hi-Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 4; Year Book Staff

Honors: Honor Society 3, 4; Girls' State 3; All New England Band 2, 3, 4; All State Band 2, 3, 4; All State Orchestra; Vice President Orchestra

Future Plans: Teacher

Pauline Renner

Nickname: "Polly"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Allied Youth 3, 4; Year Book Staff

Future Plans: Secretary

Joanne Ricci

Nickname: "Jo"

Course: Academic

Activities: Choir 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' High Club 3, 4; Year Book Staff

Honors: Vice President Honor Society 4

Future Plans: Teacher

*To a friend from
St. Rose Marie Rivais*

Nickname: "Marie"

Course: Academic

Activities: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2; Biology Club 2; Hi-Lights 4; Choir 4; Year Book Staff; Senior Play; Clipper Minstrels

Honors: Honor Society

Future Plans: Nurse



Reunions

Shirleyanne Rondeau

Nickname: "Shirl"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Biology Club 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Choir 4; Hi-Lights Staff 4; Year Book Staff; Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; Clipper Minstrels

Honors: National Honor Society 3, 4; Granite Girls' State; Girls' National Alternate; Junior Class Secretary; Biology Club Secretary; Allied Youth Vice President; D. A. R. Good Citizen Award

Future Plans: Teacher



Sylvia Savits

Nickname: "Bunnie"

Course: Academic

Activities: Drum Majorette; Spanish Club

Future Plans: College

Ann Schirmer

Nickname: "Ann"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Choir 2, 3; Orchestra 2, 3; Biology Club; Glee Club 3, 4

Future Plans: Secretary



Bernard St. Pierre

Nickname: "Bunny"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Baker



Earl Barton Seekins

Nickname: "Zeke"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Cross Country; Band 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball

Honors: All State Band 2, 3

Future Plans: College

Scott Sargent

Nickname: "Scotty"

Course: Academic

Activities: Latin Club

Honors: An honor in Latin

Future Plans: College



Gertrude Shattuck

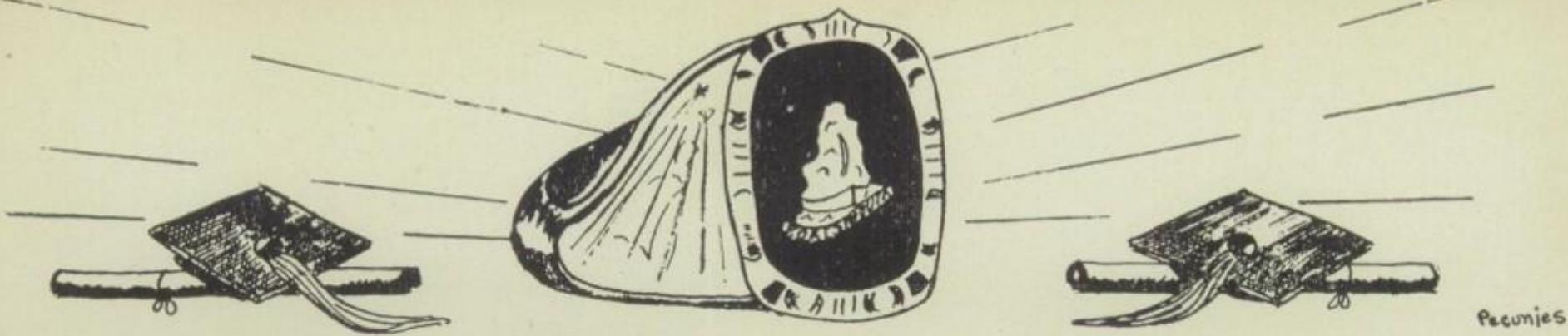
Nickname: "Gert"

Course: Academic

Activities: Glee Club 2, 3; G. A. A. 2, 3; Allied Youth 2, 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4

Honors: National Honor Society; National Latin Honor Society

Future Plans: Secretary



Pecunies

Joseph Statkus

Nickname: "Joe"

Course: Academic

Future Plans: Navy



Alice Stacy

Nickname: "Woody"

Course: Academic

Activities: Dramatic Club 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Allied Youth 2; Twirlerettes 2; Majorettes 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4

Future Plans: Lab Technician



Arthur Splaine

Nickname: "Art"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Activities: Student Council 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Golf 3, 4; Cross Country 4; Spring Track 3

Honors: President Senior Class; All Tournament Team 4

Future Plans: Mailman



Irving Taube

Course: Academic

Activities: Dramatic Club 2, 3; Debating Club 2; Biology Club 2; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Junior Play

Honors: National Honor Society 3, 4; All State Orchestra; Treasurer National Honor Society; All New England Orchestra

Future Plans: Doctor



Beverly Teague

Nickname: "Bev"

Course: Academic

Activities: Glee Club 2, 3; Choir 4; G. A. A.; Latin Club; Girls' Hi-Club; Clipper Minstrels; Year Book Staff

Future Plans: Business Administrator

Priscilla Thompson

Nickname: "Sistie"

Course: Academic

Activities: G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2, 3, 4

Honors: Latin Honor Society 2, 3

Future Plans: Physical Education Teacher

Helen Thomson

Nickname: "Tommy"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Women's Air Force

Dorothy Todd

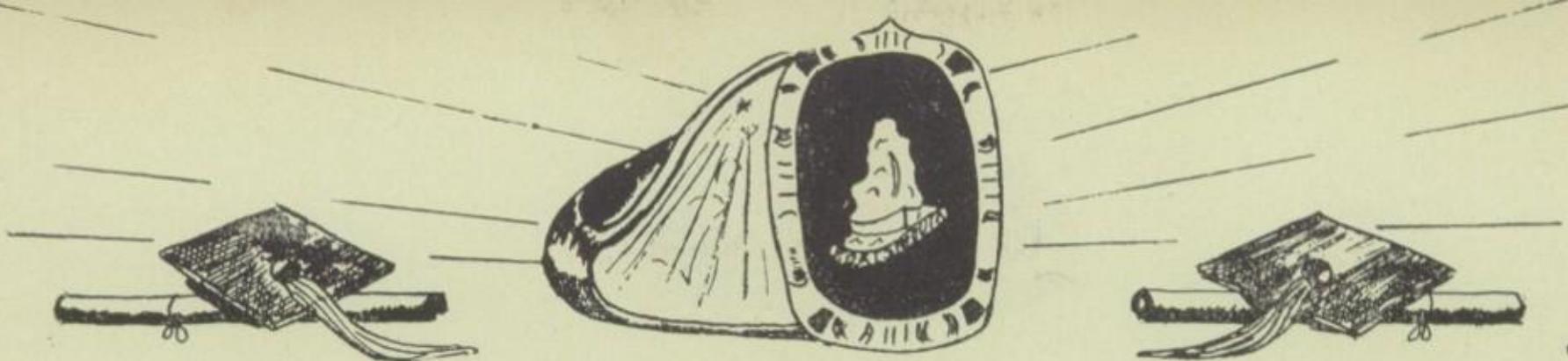
Nickname: "Dot"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Year Book Staff; National Honor Society 4

Honors: National Honor Society 4

Future Plans: Office Work



Betty Lou Trafton

Nickname: "Lu"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Glee Club 2, 3, 4;
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4

Future Plans: Business College



Raymond Trimble

Nickname: "Red"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Future Plans: Baseball player



Thomas Trueman

Nickname: "Tom"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2

Future Plans: Merchant Marine



Evelyn Tucker

Nickname: "Evie"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: To be successful



Frances Volkmann

Nickname: "Mammy"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Clipper Review 4; Clipper Minstrels 3; Junior Play; Senior Play; Biology Club 2; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4

Future Plans: Teacher

Charles Walker

Nickname: "Chuck"

Course: General Scientific

Future Plans: To grow old gracefully

Orien Walker

Nickname: "Doak"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2; Basketball 2

Future Plans: To be a coach

Signe Watson

Nickname: "Sig"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Allied Youth 3; Choir 3

Future Plans: Nurse



Pecunies

Flora Watters

Nickname: "Flo"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Hi-Lights Staff; Hi-Club; Glee Club; Biology Club; Majorettes; G. A. A. Twirlerettes; Year Book Staff

Future Plans: Nurse in the Air Force



Gregory Watters

Nickname: "Greg"

Course: Mechanic Arts

Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Winter Track 2, 3, 4; Spring Track 2; Baseball 3, 4

Future Plans: Teacher or Coach



Donna Weare

Nickname: "Donnie"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Choir 4

Future Plans: Hairdresser



Dorothy Weeks

Nickname: "Dot"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Choir 2, 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Club 4

Future Plans: Nurse

*To Norm
from Dorothy
Weeks
in memory of
her in my
class*

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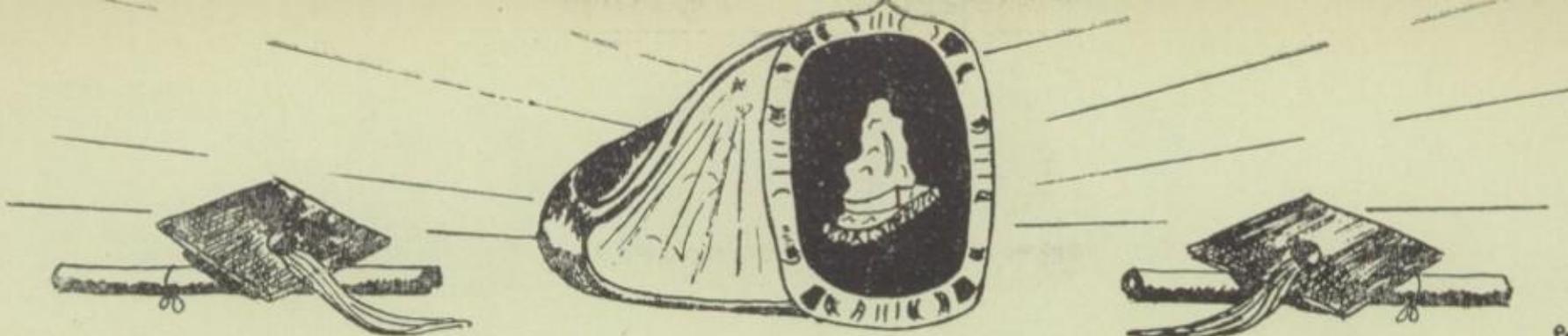
Norma Williams

Nickname: "Norm"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Dramatic Club 2, 3; Girls' Hi-Club 3, 4; Biology Club 2; G. A. A. 2

Future Plans: Swimming Instructor



Pecunies

Marilyn Winkler

Nickname: "Winkie"

Course: Commercial

Activities: Twirlerettes 2; Glee Club 2

Future Plans: Women's Air Force



Marjorie Witham

Nickname: "Margie"

Course: Commercial

Future Plans: Waves



Lloyd Wolf

Nickname: "Burt"

Course: General Scientific

Activities: Football 3; Junior Play; Dramatics 3, 4; Senior Play; Choir 3

Honors: President of Dramatic Club

Future Plans: Medical Profession



Other Members of the Class of 1951

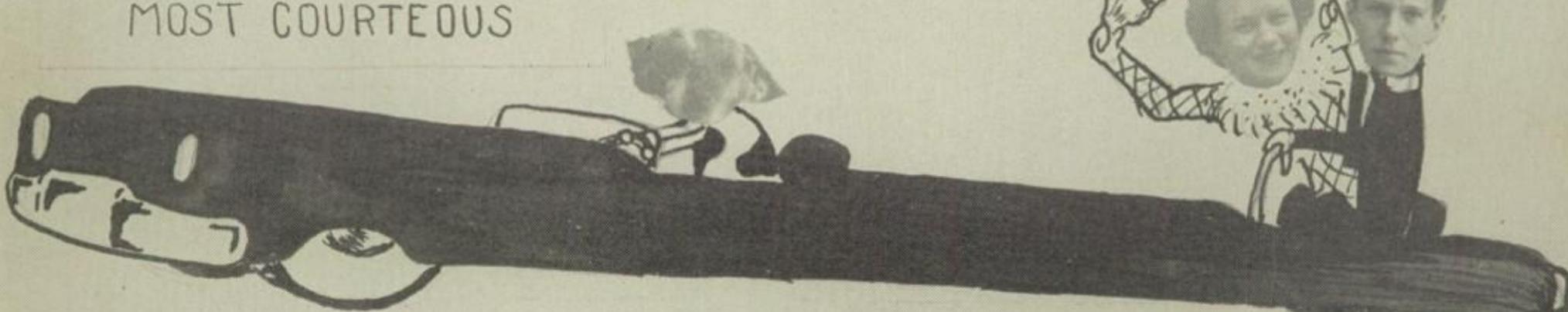
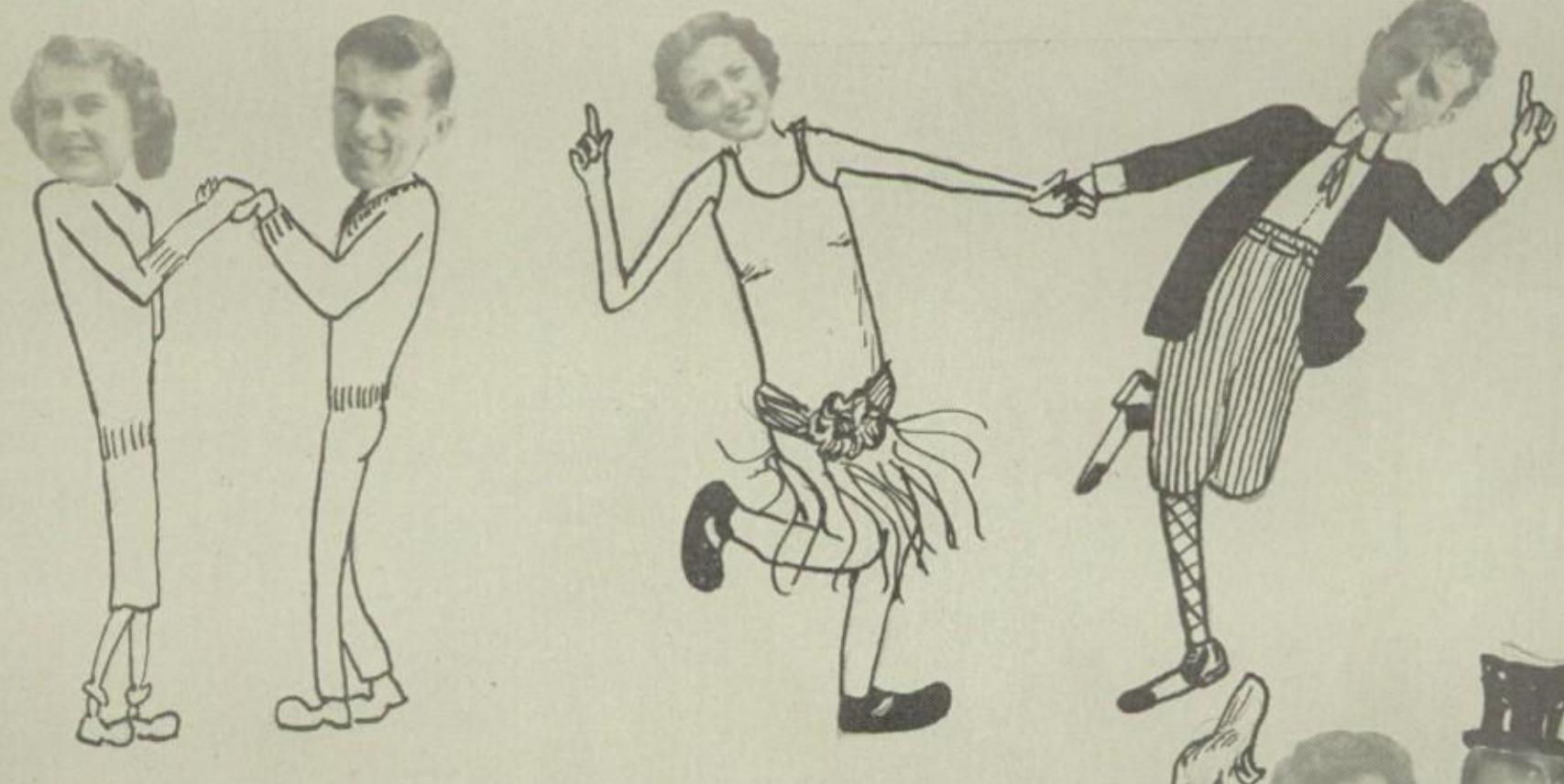
Frank Emery
Kenneth Gallant
Harriett Kolikof
Myron Selzer
Joseph Simpson
Barbara Wiggin

Harriet Kolikof

WHO'S WHO?



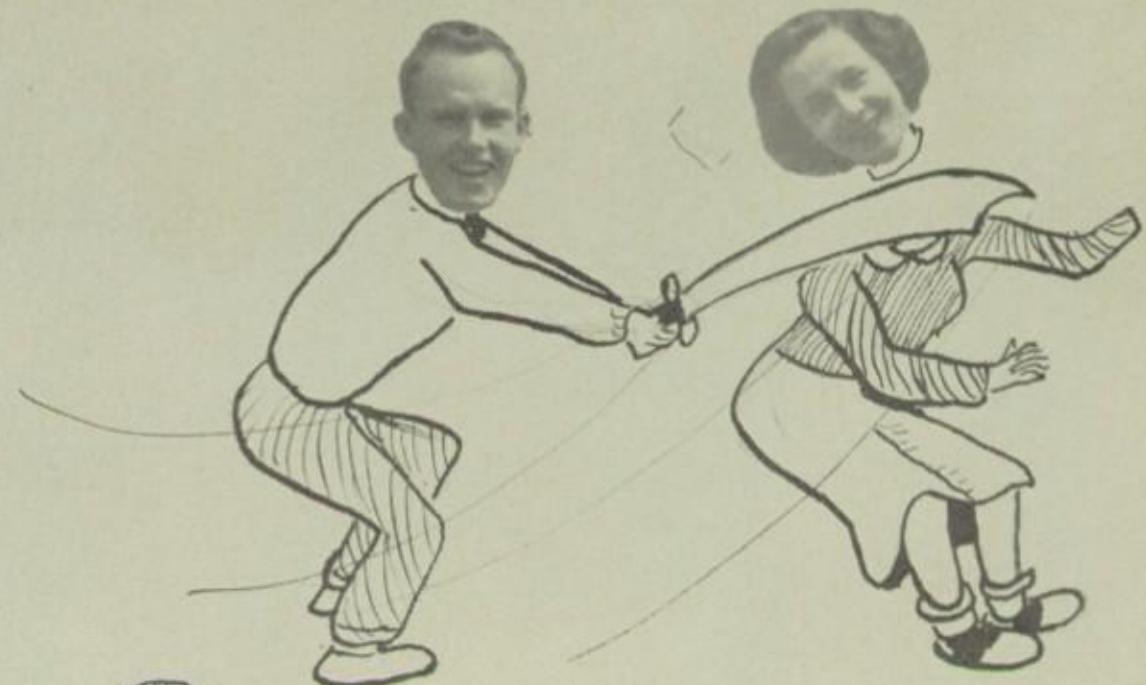
BEST DANCERS



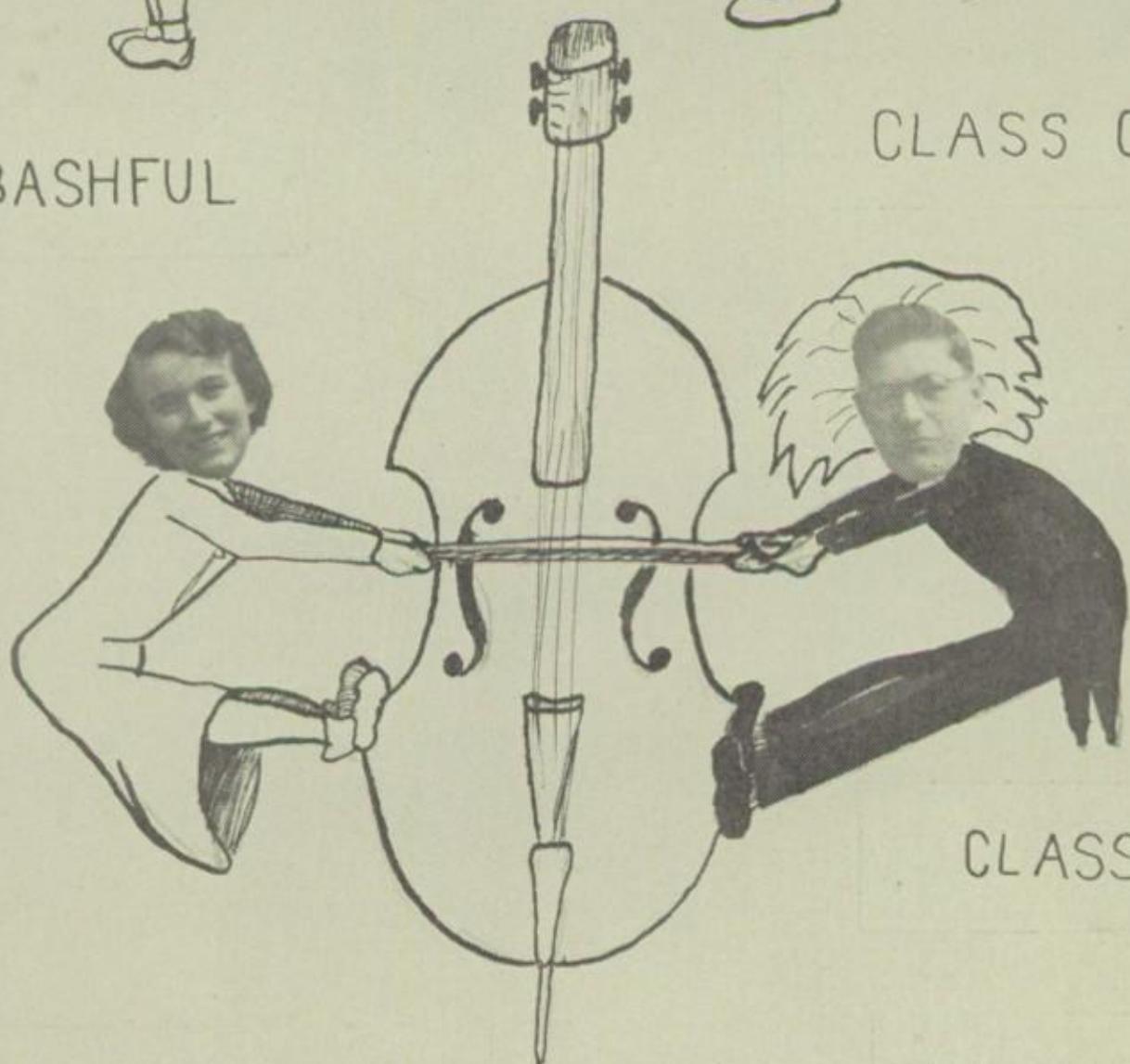
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MOST BASHFUL



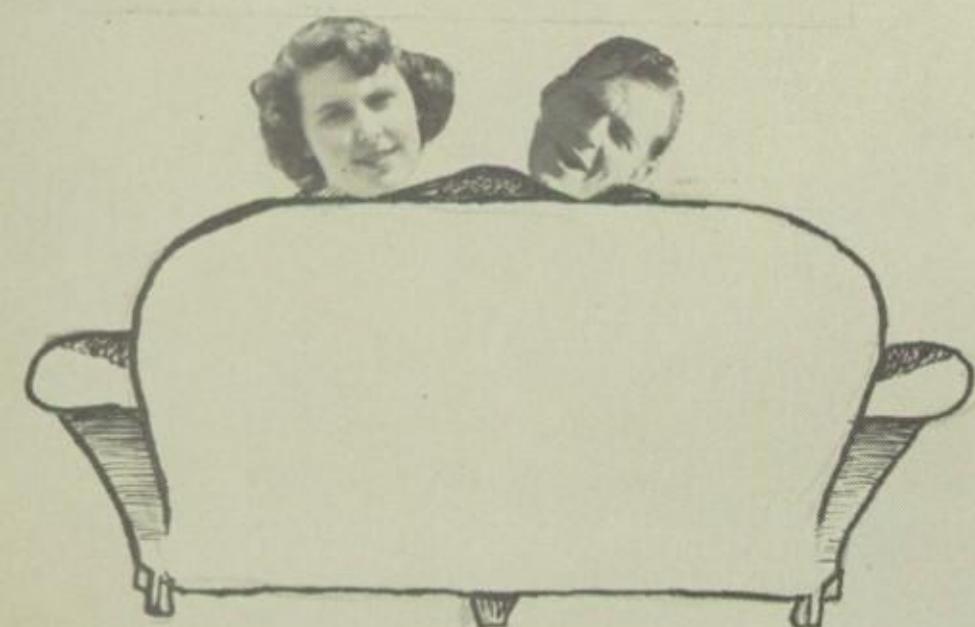
CLASS CUTUPS



CLASS MUSICIANS

MOST FRIENDLY

BEST LEADER





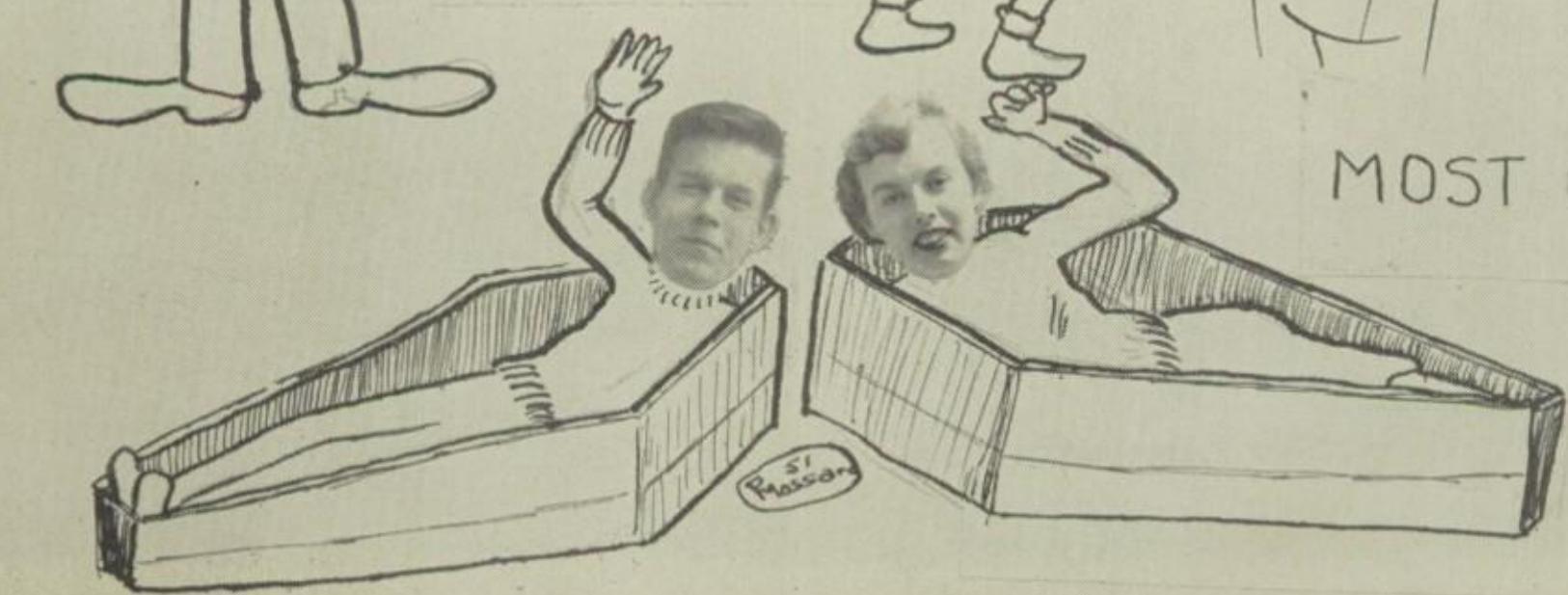
MOST ATTRACTIVE



MOST
SOPHISTICATED



CUTEST



WITTIEST



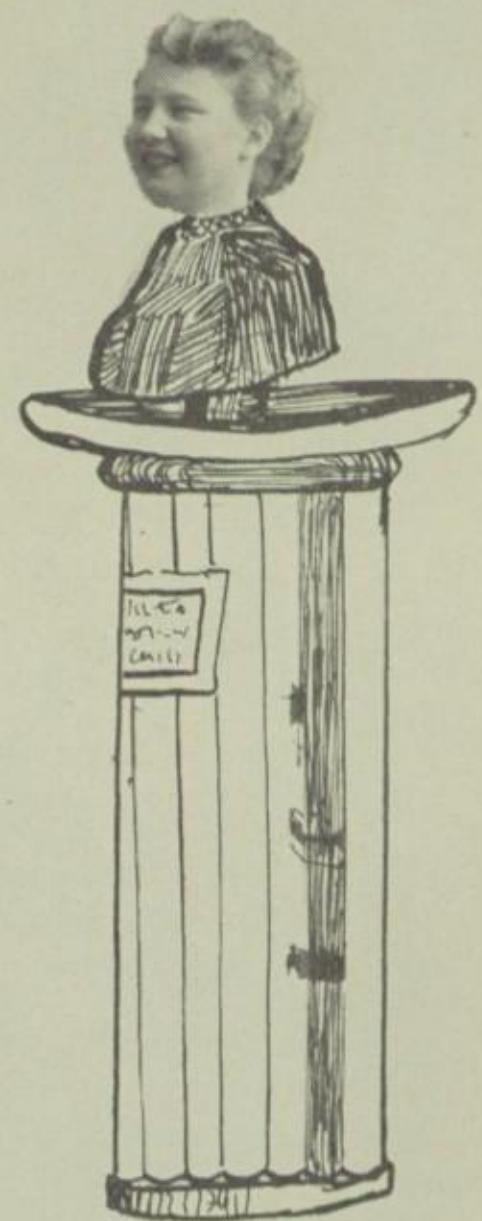
MOST ATHLETIC

MOST CHEERFUL

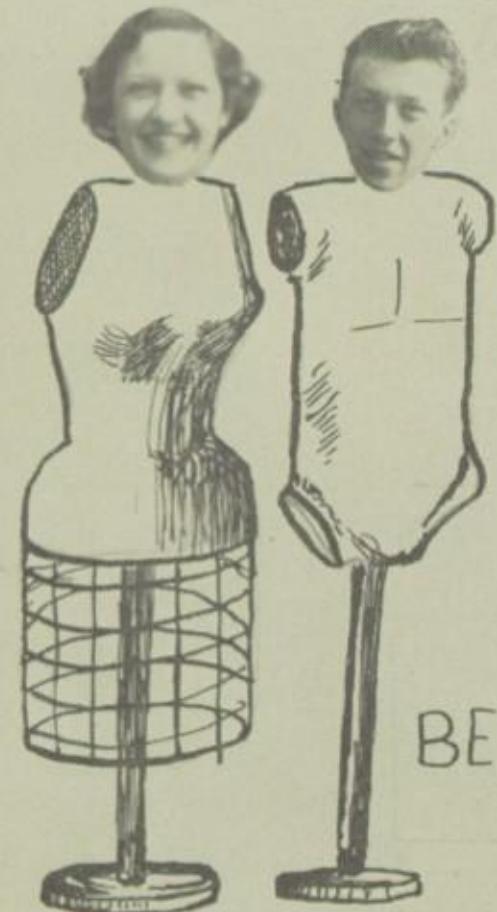
MOST POPULAR



CLASS ACTRESS



CLASS ACTOR



BEST DRESSED



BEST PERSONALITY





“WHEN WE WERE VERY YOUNG”

1. Eleanor Killough	44. Kay Pecunies
2. Terry Levasseur	45. Beverly Perham
3. Maureen Leahy	46. ? ? ?
4. Hannah Moynahan	47. Helen Rand
5. Signe Watson	48. Shirley Nickerson
6. Charlie Davidson	49. Rowena Hardy
7. Dorothy Clark	50. Donna Weare
8. Ruth Blakeney	51. Barbara Connell, Natalie Pridham, Jean Hogan, Gertrude Shattuck
9. Dot Todd	52. Priscilla Morton
10. Priscilla Rand	53. Muriel Noseworthy
11. Frances Volkmann	54. Gertrude Shattuck
12. Shirley Mayo	55. Bernard St. Pierre
13. Phyllis Bean	56. Arlene Ames
14. Sue Allen	57. Marilyn Winkler
15. Lorraine Cameron	58. Joan Finnigan
16. Norma Williams	59. Beverly Teague
17. Dot Weeks	60. Pearl Lau
18. Marilyn Hartson	61. Sylvia Savits
19. Mary Ann Chisholm	62. Nathalie Pridham
20. Luke Coussoule	63. Nancy Nelson
21. Joyce Caswell	64. Walter Hett
22. Nancy Matthews	65. Helen Davis
23. Sylvia Jones	66. Alice Stacy
24. Delores Hanscom Day	67. Pauline Renner
25. Betty Margeson	68. Patricia Baird
26. Eleanor Pickering	69. Frank Pinney
27. Greg and Flora Watters	70. Marjorie Witham
28. Priscilla Thomson	71. Joanne Ricci
29. Cynthia Pridham	72. Isabelle Deal
30. Ruth Fitzgerald	73. Bill Knight
31. Joyce Babbirk	74. Shirleyanne Rondeau
32. Marie Rivais	75. John Barron
33. Audra Williams	76. Arthur Splaine
34. Greg Watters	77. Dorothy Breton
35. James Mavrikas	78. William Burt
36. Marjorie Brown	79. Dorothy Anderson
37. Norman Larrivee	80. Back Row, left to right: Nancy Gorman, Helen Rand, Priscilla Rand, Barbara Curtis, Dorothy Weeks, Evelyn Tucker. Middle Row: Shirley- anne Rondeau, Pat Baird, ? ? Eleanor Killough, Barbara Welch, George Frost, ? ? Bottom Row: Mose Bellucci, David Pickett, Charles Gerry, ? ?
38. John Lyons	
39. Grace Hayden	
40. Barton Seekins	
41. Ellen Page	
42. Jacquelin Gillespie	
43. Joan Lavoie	

UNDERGLASSMAN





JUNIOR CLASS

As soon as school got under way in the fall we were busy joining clubs, electing officers, and attending football games.

Around the Thanksgiving holidays the class members circulated petitions for a junior prom. January 13 was chosen as the date. This was the first junior prom in many years and the cooperation of all concerned was rewarded by a huge success.

The juniors are now displaying their class rings which arrived early in March.

Junior boys have been outstanding in all sports, many winning letters in football, track and basketball. Dick Romagnoli won a place on the All State basketball team.

Georgine Baird, Mary Lou Bierweiler, Jacqueline Black, Janet Curran, Marguerite Downing, Charlene Hjort, William Jacobsmeyer, Priscilla Palmer, Gail Schiot, Anna Soule, and Thomas Sullivan were elected to the National Honor Society.

The cast of the junior play is rehearsing now. The play chosen is a modern melo-drama entitled "The Curse of an Aching Heart." Mr. Leonard Barnes is director.

Our advisers this year have been Miss Evelyn Blankenberg and Mrs. Nona Philbrick. Great credit is due them in making our year a happy and successful one.



Peter Eldridge, president; Evelyn Petrillo, secretary; Frank Birt, treasurer.
Absent when picture was taken, Betty Marinos, vice president.



JUNIOR PROM





SOPHOMORE CLASS

As this is our first year at Portsmouth High School our history is rather a brief one. The first few days were like being in an unknown world, even though our teachers and the upperclassmen tried to be kind and helpful.

When everyone was settled down to studying we held class elections. The ones chosen to lead our class were; Frank Hundley, president; Helen Coussoule, vice president; Richard Lamontagne, treasurer, and Anna Cruz, secretary. Our class adviser is Miss Julia Stulb and she has been very helpful.

In October, the juniors and seniors gave a Hallowe'en dance to welcome us into the school. There was excellent music by the high school orchestra and plenty of refreshments for all. All who attended had a wonderful time.

Many of our boys have participated in sports at P. H. S. Several have earned letters and we are proud of them. The sophomores have contributed much to the school in other ways by taking part in club activities, especially in music, by serving on the Student Council, and by generally trying to be good citizens in the school community.

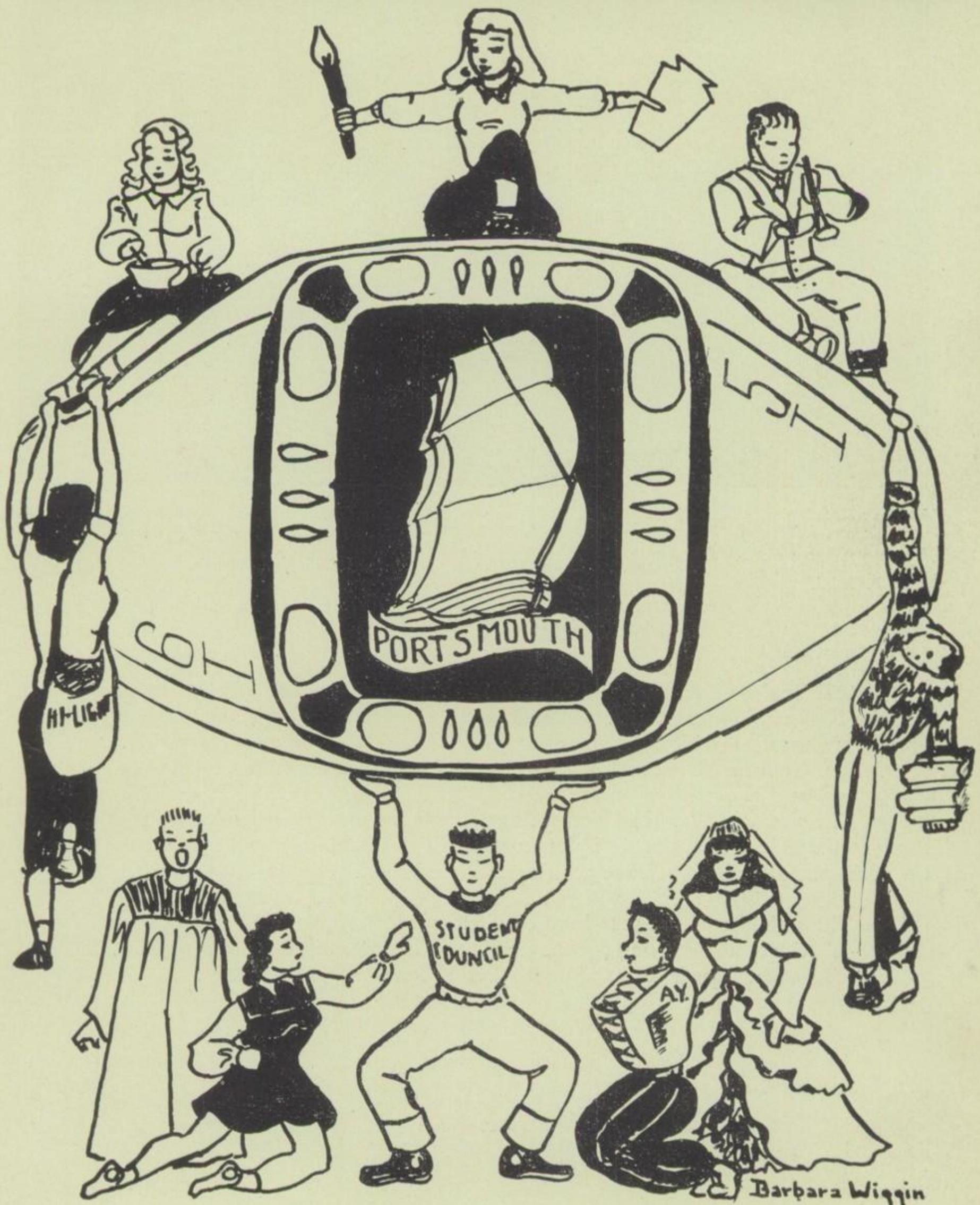
Now another school year is coming to an end. All of the happiness and sorrows that have taken place in our first year here must be tucked away in our memories for all the years to come. We are looking forward eagerly to next year when we come back as juniors.



Helen Coussoule, vice president; Frank Hundley, president; Richard LaMontagne, treasurer. Absent when picture was taken, Anna Cruz, secretary.



AGRIQUINTES





First Row: N. Salvador, A. Cruz, J. Caswell, J. Curran, D. Gray, B. Petrillo, F. Hundley, H. Coussoule, D. Gray, B. Marinos, A. Toner, J. Weston. *Second Row:* G. Alvord, Adviser; H. O'Connor, E. Petrillo, S. Rondeau, J. Kadlec, M. Massey, S. O'Donnell, H. Moynahan, J. Louther, M. Bierweiler, C. Sullivan, A. Soule, G. Shattuck, V. Pomiecko, Adviser. *Third Row:* L. Regan, L. Wolf, M. Rand, P. Eldridge, A. Boyan, J. Howe, J. Tilley, R. Wilson, F. Birt, G. Schiot, R. Gailey, P. Baird.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council was organized last year with the assistance of the class officers and the National Honor Society. The club officers for this year are as follows: Douglas Gray, president; Beverly Petrillo, vice-president; Janet Curran, secretary; and Frank Hundley, treasurer. Mr. Graham Alvord and Mr. Victor Pomiecko are the faculty advisers.

The aims of this organization are to promote the general welfare of the student activities, encourage better citizenship by encouraging high ideals, unify and co-ordinate the activities of the school, and promote the good name of the school.

The activities of the year have consisted of sponsoring a clean-up campaign, ushering at Parents' Nights, and carrying out the election of the class officers through regular campaigns.

The council plans to set up a scholarship fund in the near future.



First Row: Thomas Sullivan, William Jacobsmeyer, Charles Davidson, Irving Taube, Gordon Aston. *Second Row:* Dorothy Breton, Georgine Baird, Anna Mae Soule, Dorothy Gray, Joanne Ricci, Audra Williams; Miss M. Ballard, Adviser; Shirleyanne Rondeau, Gertrude Shattuck, Grace Hayden, Sylvia Jones. *Third Row:* Joyce Caswell, Betty Margeson, Mary Lou Bierweiler, Nancy Gorman, Jean Blanchette, Marguerite Downing, Priscilla Palmer, Dorothy Todd, Theresa Levasseur, Jacqueline Gillespie, Lorraine Cameron. *Fourth Row:* Sheila O'Donnell, Marie Rivais, Charlene Hjort, Hannah Moynahan, Elaine Goodreau, Janet Curran, Ellen Page, Gail Schiott, Nancy Nelson, Ruth Blakeney. *Absent when picture was taken:* president, Kennard Palfrey; treasurer, John Lyons; Helen O'Connor, Priscilla Rand, Jacqueline Black.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society is comprised of senior and junior students who are chosen by the faculty on the basis of their scholarship, leadership, service, and character.

This year our chapter has undertaken a project which it found very successful during the last war. The plan is to send our school newspaper to servicemen and women who were formerly Portsmouth High School students, regardless of where they are stationed. We hope in this way to let them know we have not forgotten them. We are also writing to them occasionally, telling them the latest news of the city and school.

Officers presiding at the first induction of new members in October consisted of Charles Davidson, president; Nancy Nelson, vice president; Sylvia Jones, secretary; Irvin Taube, treasurer.

Present officers are Kennard Palfrey president; Joanne Ricci, vice president; Hannah Moynahan, secretary; John Lyons, treasurer. Miss Margaret Ballard is the faculty adviser.



The Class of 1951

presents

"WHAT A LIFE"

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Barbara Pearson	ELAINE GOODREAU
Miss Shea	BEVERLY PETRILLO
Miss Wheeler	ROWENA HARDY
Mrs. Aldrich	PATRICIA CONNORS
Miss Eggleston	ALICE STACY
Mary	DOROTHY BINMORE
Miss Pike	ELIZABETH MARGESON
Miss Johnson	FRANCES VOLKMANN
Gertie	SYLVIA JONES
Mr. Nelson	KENNARD PALFREY
Mr. Patterson	CHARLES DAVIDSON
Bill	EDWARD DUFFY
Mr. Vecchitto	LLOYD WOLF
Henry Aldrich	GORDON ASTON
Mr. Bradley	IRVIN TAUBE
George Bigelow	HARRY MARINOS
Mr. Ferguson	RICHARD BETZ
Prompter	DOROTHY BRETON
Stage Manager	PAUL BABULA
Properties	ELEANOR KILLOUGH, MAUREEN LEAHY, BETTY McLAUGHLIN, SHEILA O'DONNELL, ELEANOR PICKERING, BEVERLY TEAGUE
Publicity	LORRAINE CAMERON, DOUGLAS GRAY, PEARL LAU, MICHAEL HEGARTY
Director	LEONARD B. BARNES
Class Advisers	VIRGINIA A. GRIFFIN, MARION G. SANDERS
Art Director	PHYLLIS HODGDON



The Class of 1951

presents

"DOUBLE OR NOTHING"



CAST OF CHARACTERS

Ted Hoyt, a junior at Midwestern College	KENNARD PALFREY
Peggy Evans, his co-ed girl friend	BEVERLY PETRILLO
Jimmy Lee, a freshman	GORDON ASTON
Homer Davis, majoring in marine biology	EDWARD DUFFY
Ethel Green, Homer's fiancée	HANNAH MOYNAHAN
Mrs. Abbott, a landlady	RUTH BLAKENEY
Roberta Fox, a student reporter	AUDRA WILLIAMS
Dr. Winston Rogers, Dean of the College	CHARLES DAVIDSON
Charlotte, his wife	PATRICIA CONNORS
Carol Muir, a young movie star	FRANCES VOLKMANN
Bill Dudley, her manager	LLOYD WOLF
Mike Spencer, a senior	RICHARD BETZ
Jack Swan, a senior	MICHAEL HEGARTY

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The action takes place on a Friday in spring in the living room of Mrs. Abbott's rooming house in a college town in the Middle West.

Chairman, Art Publicity	ELEANOR PICKERING
Chairman, Newspaper Publicity	PEARL LAU
Co-Chairmen, Radio Publicity	DOUGLAS GRAY, MICHAEL HEGARTY
Chairman, Candy Sales	SYLVIA JONES
Chairman, Properties	MAUREEN LEAHY
Chairman, Makeup	SHEILA O'DONNELL
Chairman, Ushers	MOSE BELLUCCI
Co-Chairmen, Tickets	ALBERT BOYAN, ARTHUR SPLAINE
Furniture on Stage	Courtesy of MARGESON'S
Director	LEONARD B. BARNES
Class Advisers	VIRGINIA A. GRIFFIN, MARION G. SANDERS
Art Director	PHYLLIS HODGDON







First Row: Irving Borwick, Edward Duffy, Richard Betz, John Mullaney, Richard Clark. *Second Row:* Joan Kadlec; Mr. Leonard Barnes, Adviser; Joyce Caswell, Lloyd Wolf, Dorothy Gray, John Howe, Lorraine Cameron. *Third Row:* Marion Hodges, Esther Volkmann, Joan Keen, Shirley Smith, Mary Lou Bierweiler, Patricia Connors, Evelyn Petrillo, Beverly Petrillo. *Fourth Row:* Priscilla Palmer, Sandra Willand, Marguerite Downing, Hannah Moynahan, Elaine Goodreau, Francis Volkmann, Charlene Hjort.

THE MASQUERADERS

The Masqueraders (Dramatic Club) elected the following officers for the year 1950-51: Lloyd Wolf, president; Joyce Caswell, vice-president; Dorothy Gray, secretary; and John Howe, treasurer. The club is under the direction of Mr. Leonard B. Barnes, with the assistance of Mr. Donald Morrison, our cadet teacher from U. N. H.

The aim of the club is to promote all phases of dramatics from acting to make-up and to give the members an awareness of stage presence.

The club was active during American Education Week in November, when a radio program was presented over WHEB which told about some of the many extra-curricular activities offered in this school. The club also presented a special Thanksgiving assembly and presented a one-act play just before Christmas. Plans are now under way for another one-act play to be presented sometime in the near future. The project for this year is to try to raise some money to buy some sound effects records which may be used in future dramatic productions.



*Portsmouth High School
Presents
"Sunday Costs Five Pesos"*

A COMEDY BY J. NIGGLI

CAST

Fidel	.....	Ed Duffy
Berta	.....	Joan Kadlec
Salome	.....	Priscilla Palmer
Tonia	.....	Beverly Petrillo
Celestina	.....	Marjorie Williams

Scene: Square in a small Mexican village.

Time: The present.

Faculty Director: Graham Alvord.

Student Assistants: Lloyd Wolf and Joan Louther

THE DRAMA FESTIVAL

This year's Drama Festival Play, under the able direction of Graham Alvord, has won the Regional New Hampshire Festival over entries from Dover and Rochester.

The play is set in a small Mexican village. The time is the present. Joan Kadlec plays the part of Berta, a fiery Mexican beauty, who is very angry over the fact that Fidel, played by Ed Duffy, has been "rolling the eye" at Celestina, the local big shot's daughter, played by Marjorie Williams. Beverly Petrillo plays the part of Tonia, who is dismayed by all the commotion. The events include a real knock down and drag out fight between Celestina and Salome, played by Priscilla Palmer. Joan Louther is the prompter.

At the state festival held in Durham, St. Joseph's High of Manchester and Portsmouth High School were both rated "excellent." These schools will represent the state of New Hampshire at the New England Festival held at Warwick, Rhode Island, on April 28. Those who saw the performance of our actors at Durham entertain high hopes for even greater honors for our school.



First Row: D. Fleischman, B. Teague, L. Klein, J. Richard, D. Weeks, E. Margeson, B. Petrillo, D. Breton, S. Jones, A. Williams, N. Gorman, M. Hodges, A. Stacy, D. Mawby, G. Baird. *Second Row:* Miss C. Barron, Adviser; M. Leahy, A. Bennett, M. Noel, E. Pickering, H. Culberson, G. Schiot, C. Hjort, L. Hawkes, B. Chandler, M. Bierweiler, J. Hutchins, M. Downing, P. Ham, J. Ricci, A. Toner, P. Lau. *Third Row:* R. Hardy, M. Noseworthy, G. Shattuck, A. Ames, P. Connors, R. Blakeney, E. Page, P. Rand, E. Goodreau, J. Curran, F. Volkmann, E. Killough, N. Nelson, J. Gillespie, M. O'Connor, N. Pridham, A. Soule, F. Watters, B. Crockett.

GIRLS' HI-CLUB

One of the most popular clubs of Portsmouth High School is the Girls' Hi-Club. This very active club, consisting of seventy-two juniors and seniors, is one of the largest in the school.

The three purposes of the club are to promote interest in the school and its activities, to encourage friendliness among the students, and to further school spirit.

The club has contributed to such worthy projects as the Heart and Cancer Funds. It has sponsored several dances and socials for the students, faculty, and parents. One of the most anticipated events which the club sponsors is the Field Day which is held just before graduation.

The club is under the able leadership of Sylvia Jones as president, Dorothy Breton as vice-president, Audra Williams as secretary, and Beverly Petrillo as treasurer, with Miss Catherine Barron as adviser.



First Row: Margaret O'Connor, Anna Mae Soule, Janet Curran, Mary Lou Bierweiler, Priscilla Rand, Judith Gardner, Eleanor Salvador, Joyce Caswell. *Second Row:* Ruth Storer, Mary Hegarty, Leala Hawkes, Joan Louther, Joan Sarazen, Evelyn Petrillo, Sylvia Savits. *Third Row:* Barbara Chandler, Charlene Hjort, Nicolas Johnson, Robert Popham, Bruce McDonough, Catherine Bunker.

SPANISH CLUB

This is the first year of the Spanish Club, which is under the guidance of Miss Shannon. The requirements for membership are second and third year work in Spanish and an eighty average. Our officers are: president, Priscilla Rand; vice-president, Mary Lou Bierweiler; secretary, Judith Gardner; and treasurer, Janet Curran.

The aims of the Spanish Club are to speak Spanish and to learn about Spanish life and customs.

Our meetings are on the last Thursday of every month. We play Spanish games, listen to interesting talks about famous Spanish people and places, and read stories of Spanish speaking countries. All of our business is conducted in the Spanish language.

A week before Christmas members of the Spanish Club prepared a "Nacimiento," or Nativity scene, for our classroom. They also made a pinata, which is a paper bag filled with nuts and candy and covered with crepe paper. It is hung from the ceiling at Christmas time and for birthday parties. The young people, who are blindfolded, try to break it with a cane.

In the future we plan to put on a play in Spanish for Spanish students.

MUSIC

Our music clubs, under the direction of Mr. Kushious, have enjoyed the usual busy year. They have given a series of concerts, and participated in the "Clipper Review," as well as several music festivals.

The members of the band chose as their officers: president, William Jacobsmeyer; vice-president, Kennard Palfrey; secretary-treasurer, Wilford Caswell. They have played at the Football games and the New England Basketball Tournament; they have participated in a formal concert; and they played in the New England and New Hampshire festivals, which were held in Boston, Massachusetts, and Portsmouth, N. H., respectively. We are especially proud of the following members who were chosen for All New England Band: Priscilla Rand, clarinet; Nancy Gorman, piccolo and flute; Jacqueline Gillespie, bass clarinet; William Knight, trumpet; and James Gallagher, baritone.

The orchestra has been equally busy. This group chose the following officers: president, Charles Davidson; vice-president, Priscilla Rand; secretary-treasurer, Sylvia Jones. They have participated in a Christmas concert, a joint concert with Deering High of Portland, Maine, and another with Concord High of Concord, N. H., and they have played for the high school and Rotary Club plays. They were also fortunate to attend the New England and New Hampshire music festivals.

The choral groups took part in the "Clipper Review," and were represented in New England and New Hampshire music festivals. The officers of the glee club are: president, Beverly Petrillo; vice-president, Hannah Moynahan; secretary-treasurer, Helen Culberson.

The choir joined with South Portland in presenting a Christmas Cantata, and during Holy Week presented "The Holy City" with the Mendelsohn choir. The officers of the choir are: president, Norman Nichols; vice-president, Gail Schiot; secretary-treasurer, William Knight.

We are indeed grateful to Mr. Kushious for his successful efforts in promoting such a great appreciation of music.



ORCHESTRA





First Row: Ann Hartnett, Pat Moreau, Lois Mahoney, Alice Stacy, Sylvia Savits. Second Row: Claire Farley, Flora Waters, Sandra Kolikof.



First Row: M. Mannix, J. Romeo, R. Teague, J. Black, J. Fogg; Mr. Kushious, Director; D. Meehan, N. Pridham, D. Mitchell, R. Storer, S. Jones. Second Row: J. Gillespie, A. Williams, F. Volkmann, W. Knight, W. Caswell, M. Downing, G. Schiot, P. Rand, J. Curran, J. Donelson, D. Arsenault, B. Mohn, N. Gorman, M. Hodges. Third Row: G. Parks, J. Driscoll, I. Taube, E. Duffy, R. Weston, R. Clark, N. Nichols, R. Betz, C. Davidson, P. Anderson, W. Jacobsmeyer, J. Gallagher, R. Zimmer.



First Row: David Kushious, Adviser; Bette Jean Crockett, Lorraine Frenette, Dorothy Gray, Eleanor Jenness, Laurette Benson, Dorothy Clark, Margaret O'Connor, Betty Splaine, Patricia Dean, Beverly Petrillo, Margaret Chandler, Sylvia Jones, Sandra Taccetta, Sally Day. *Second Row:* Joanne Ricci, Marian Hodges, Sally Frobisher, Helena Geiger, Laura Latremore, Shirley Goodwin, Joan Keen, Joan Louther, Joan Kadlec, Joan Sarazen, Carol Blair, Janice Baird, Dorothy Binmore, Frances Driscoll, Sandra Cameron, Alice Hickey, Patricia Badger. *Third Row:* Georgine Baird, Nancy Robinson, Betty Lou Trafton, Phyllis Dunton, Ann Robbins, Marie Rivais, Shirley Gordon, Frances Volkmann, Loretta Jullian, Hannah Moynahan, Jean Hutchins, Barbara Mohn, Jacqueline Gillespie, Helen Culberson, Lorraine Klein, Jean Enos, Dorothy Mawby, Marjorie Williams.



First Row: John Driscoll, Frances Driscoll, Beverly Teague, Betty Splaine, Sandra Cameron, Janice Romeo, Dorothy Mawby, Dorothy Breton, Joanne Ricci, Sally Day, Jackie Black, David Jette. *Second Row:* David Kushious, Director; Eleanor Jenness, Alice Hickey, Dorothy Weeks, Marian Hodges, Nancy Cooney, Jane Ramsdell, Nancy Robinson, Donna Weare, Sally Frobisher, Joan Richard, Eleanor Killough, Shirleyanne Rondeau, Ann Schirmer, Patricia Downing, Barbara Wiggin, Cynthia Pridham, Elizabeth Margeson, Patricia Connors, Betty Aston, Richard Zimmer. *Third Row:* Gerald Jette, Jean Hutchins, Marie Rivais, William Remillard, Donald Jette, Dick Wilson, Jim Cotter, William Knight, Priscilla Rand, Albert Boyan, Norman Nichols, Edward Weeks, Loretta Jullian, Gail Schiot, Leonard Ramsey, James Gallagher, Sheila O'Donnell, Robert Dixon, Jr.



First Row: P. Palmer, E. Duffy, G. Schiot, M. Downing, M. O'Brien, N. Salvador, C. Blair, J. McLaughlin. *Second Row:* P. Dean; Miss Arkell, Adviser; C. Sullivan, P. Thompson, C. Bunker, B. Daggett, L. Regan, M. Levasseur, B. Mohn, M. Lawrence, N. Syphers, A. Pelchat, J. Britt, M. Massey, B. Petrillo, D. Fleischman. *Third Row:* B. Wilson, T. Regan, M. Williams, S. Gillis, F. Hundley, J. Labrie, S. Sargent, R. Lukeman, R. Marcotte, F. Birt, R. Ricci, G. Moon, M. Chandler, A. Cullinan.

LATIN CLUB

Under the guidance of Miss Arkell, the Latin Club members strive to learn more about Old Rome, its inhabitants, and its customs. Our way of learning is not all work; we have gained knowledge from such programs as an illustrated lecture by Miss Merriman, a musical, "Caesar Crossing the Rubicon," and a costume party, with prizes for the best dressed Romans.

This year our officers were elected by petition and voting in wards. They are as follows: Consuls, Margaret O'Brien and Marguerite Downing; Aedile, Gail Schiot; Quaestor, Nick Salvador; Censor, Carol Blair.

On our flag, as on the Roman flag, are the letters S. P. Q. R., which means "The Senate and the Roman People." We, the Latin Club members, are proud of our club; we are the Laeti Laetini, the Happy Latins!

THE HI-LIGHTS

The advisers of the Hi-Lights are Miss Vivian Brown, Miss Katherine Flanagan, and Miss Phyllis Hodgdon. There are no officers.

The club is divided into three groups: the art contributors, the writers, and those who mimeograph and assemble the work, as well as sell the paper. There are seventy-five members, every one of whom is free to do the type of work for which he is adapted.

The newspaper contains editorials, sports articles, poetry, and a personal column. The last issue of the newspaper, which was dedicated to service men and women, was sent to those whose addresses were available. It contained a partial list of names of those known to be in the services. The last issue this year will be the most interesting because it will be the graduation issue.

ADVISERS

MISS VIVIAN BROWN

MISS KATHERINE FLANAGAN

MISS PHYLLIS HODGDON

HI-LIGHTS STAFF

Arlene Ames
Janet Averill
Ruth Blakeney
Phyllis Beane
Irving Borwick
Harold Bouthiette
Alice Cullinan
Pauline Cammett
Ann Conant
Patricia Dean
Marguerite Downing
Paul Downing
Theresa Gallini
Elaine Goodreau
Mary Hegarty
Alice Hickey
Marion Hodges
Jean Jones
Nancy Jenness
Maureen Leahy
Marie Levangie
Robert Margeson

Nancy Nelson
Mary Ann Noel
Priscilla Palmer
Beverly Petrillo
Evelyn Petrillo
Eleanor Pickering
Nathalie Pridham
Irene Ramsay
Constance Reardon
Constance Reed
Marie Rivais
Caroline Sullivan
June Sullivan
Gail Schiot
Sandra Trueman
Sandra Tacetta
Frances Volkmann
Sandra Willard
Flora Watters
Joan Weston
Donna Weare



First Row: Jackie Black, Dorothy Mawby, Georgine Baird, Betty Marinos, Shirleyanne Rondeau, Gordon Aston, Bette Jean Crockett, Pauline Renner, Lorraine Klein, Betty Aston, Gertrude Shattuck. *Second Row:* Harold G. Crossman, Adviser; Ann Mikolajcyk, Nancy Robinson, Carole Burnham, Ann Robbins, Ann Doucette, Dorothy Blanchette, Joan Richard, Patricia Badger, Jackie Marston, Muriel Noseworthy. *Third Row:* Evelyn Petrillo, Helena Geiger, Emilio Gori, Marilyn Rand, Gregory Kendall, Charles Gerry, Loretta Jullian, James Mavrikis, Normand Larrivee, Helen Coussoule.

ALLIED YOUTH

The Allied Youth Post, No. 303, was organized in 1947 with Miss Merriman as adviser. We were sorry to lose her leadership, but Mr. Crossman, present adviser, is doing fine work in promoting the aims and activities of our organization. The officers this year are: Gordon Aston, president; Shirleyanne Rondeau, vice-president; Betty Crockett, secretary; Betty Marinos, treasurer.

The aim of the post is to help students understand the effects of alcohol through lectures and discussions.

The activities of the year were the sponsorship of an "After the Rally Dance," and the selling of "PHS" mechanical pencils.

The future plans include a hayride, a dance, and a scavenger hunt.



First Row: Catherine Farley, Adviser; Jackie Marston, Theresa Haynes, Frances Sawyer, Barbara Palmer. Second Row: Sophie Daring, Marilyn Keen, Beverly Leavitt, Betty LaBonte, Dorothy Clark.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS

Any student who has had one year of home economics may become a member of this national organization, the Future Homemakers of America.

The Portsmouth Chapter was able to send six delegates to the state convention held in Nashua last spring. We were proud to have Dorothy Clark chosen as the State Historian.

The club motto is "Toward New Horizons." The National flower is the red rose. The emblem is a house supported by two hands, which symbolizes that the future of homes of America is in the hands of its youth.

The officers for the year are as follows: president, Frances Sawyer; vice-president, Barbara Palmer; secretary, Theresa Haynes; treasurer, Jackie Marston. Miss Catherine Farley is the faculty adviser.



First Row: Patricia Palmer, Flora Watters, Maureen Leahy, Marilyn Lee, Marie Rivais, Normand Larrivee, Helen O'Connor, Peter Massaro, Patricia Baird, Nathalie Pridham, Sylvia Jones, Rowena Hardy, Barbara Grant. *Second Row:* Pearl Lau, Dorothy Binmore, Lorraine Cameron, Jacqueline Gillespie, Elizabeth Margeson, Betty McLaughlin, Kay Pecunies, Donald Cooney, Dorothy Todd, Shirleyanne Rondeau, Eleanor Pickering, Audra Williams, Jean Hall, Beverly Teague, Joanne Ricci, Grace Hayden. *Third Row:* Theresa Levasseur, Beverly Petrillo, Ellen Page, Nancy Nelson, Frances Volkmann, Michael Hegarty, Albert Boyan, Douglas Gray, Charles Gerry, Priscilla Rand, Sheila O'Donnell, Hannah Moynahan, Pauline Renner, Marjorie Brown, Barbara Wiggin, Theresa Gallini.

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The Clipper Staff of 1951 take this opportunity to extend thanks to all those who have contributed in any way to the assembling of this book.

Our first laurels go to the advisers who have willingly given their time and energy to the success of this year book. With Miss Giffin's capable assistance, the salesmanship classes have taken care of the sales and distribution. The senior pages, which were so efficiently done, were supervised by Mrs. Fogg, and the clever art work which appears throughout the book was accomplished under the expert guidance of Miss Hodgdon. Miss Winkley, our English adviser, was ever on the alert to help in any way possible, and Mr. Malloy was our publicity agent, taking charge of the advertising department. Miss Talbot was our general supervisor who worked unceasingly with us to perfect our book.

The photography in this book was ably done by Warren K. Vantine, our staff photographer; Mr. Volkmann, sports groups and Paul E. Marston cross country. The Portsmouth Herald very generously contributed several of our sports action shots.

Our printing has been done by Samuel Blaisdell and Son of Portsmouth.

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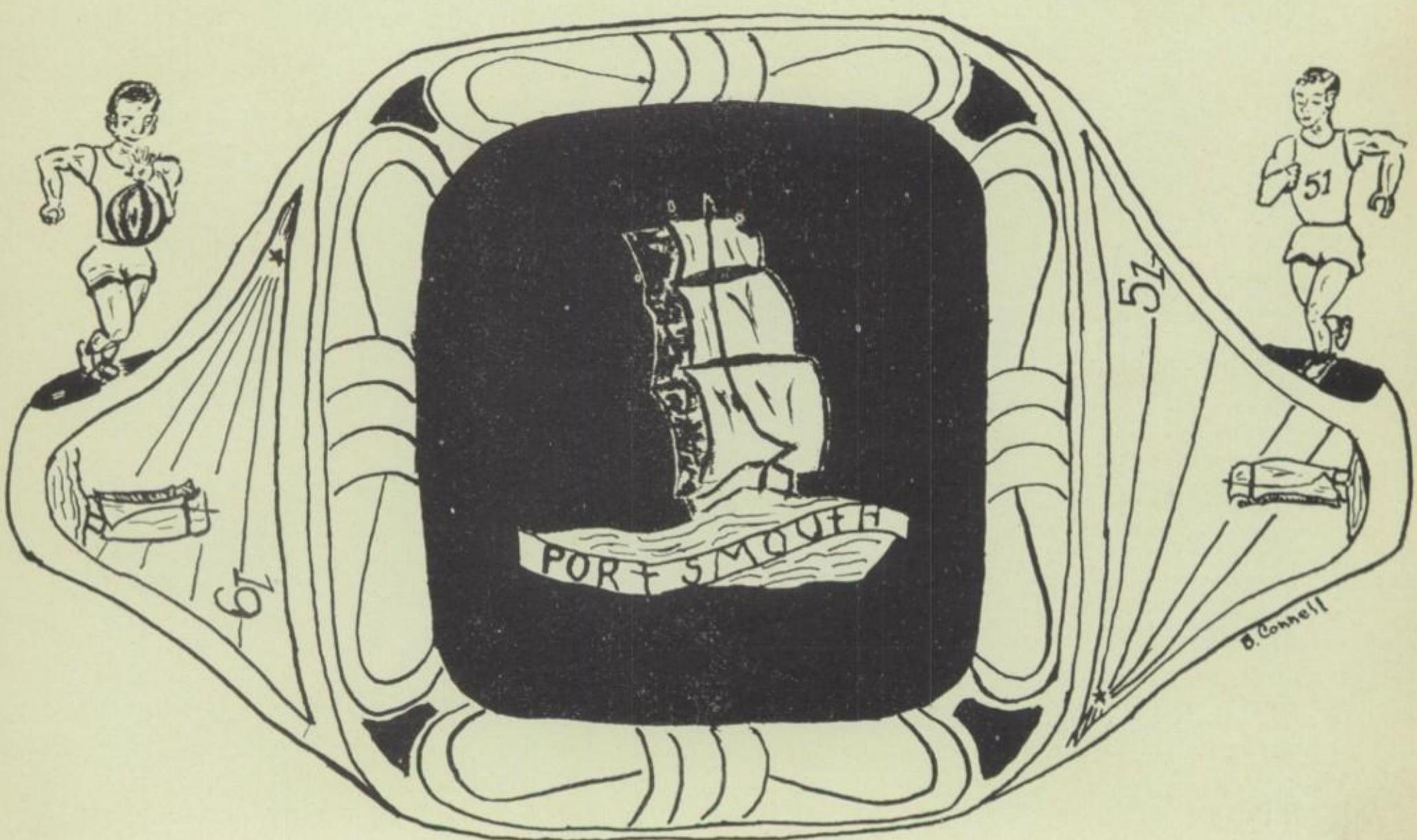
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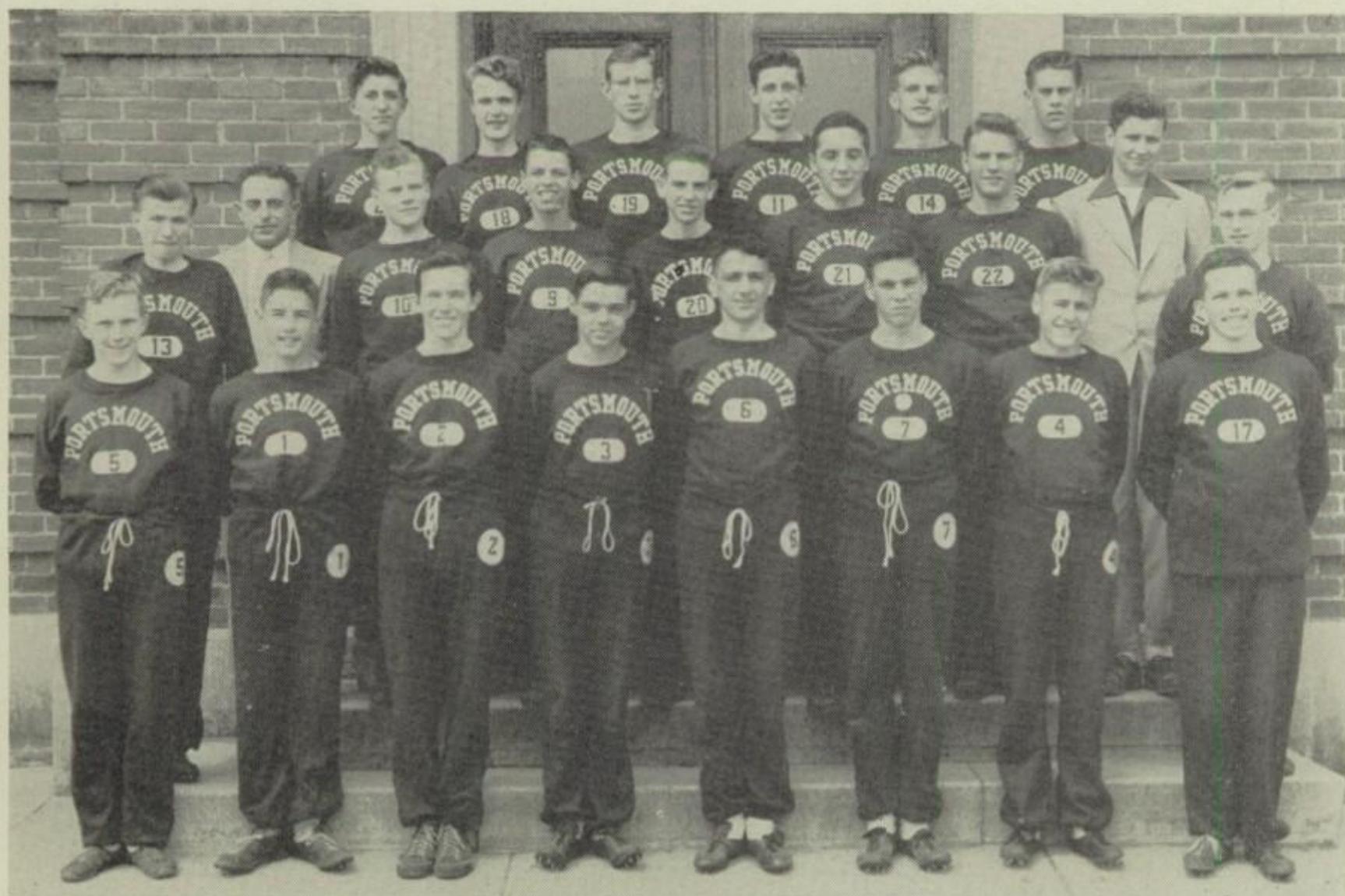
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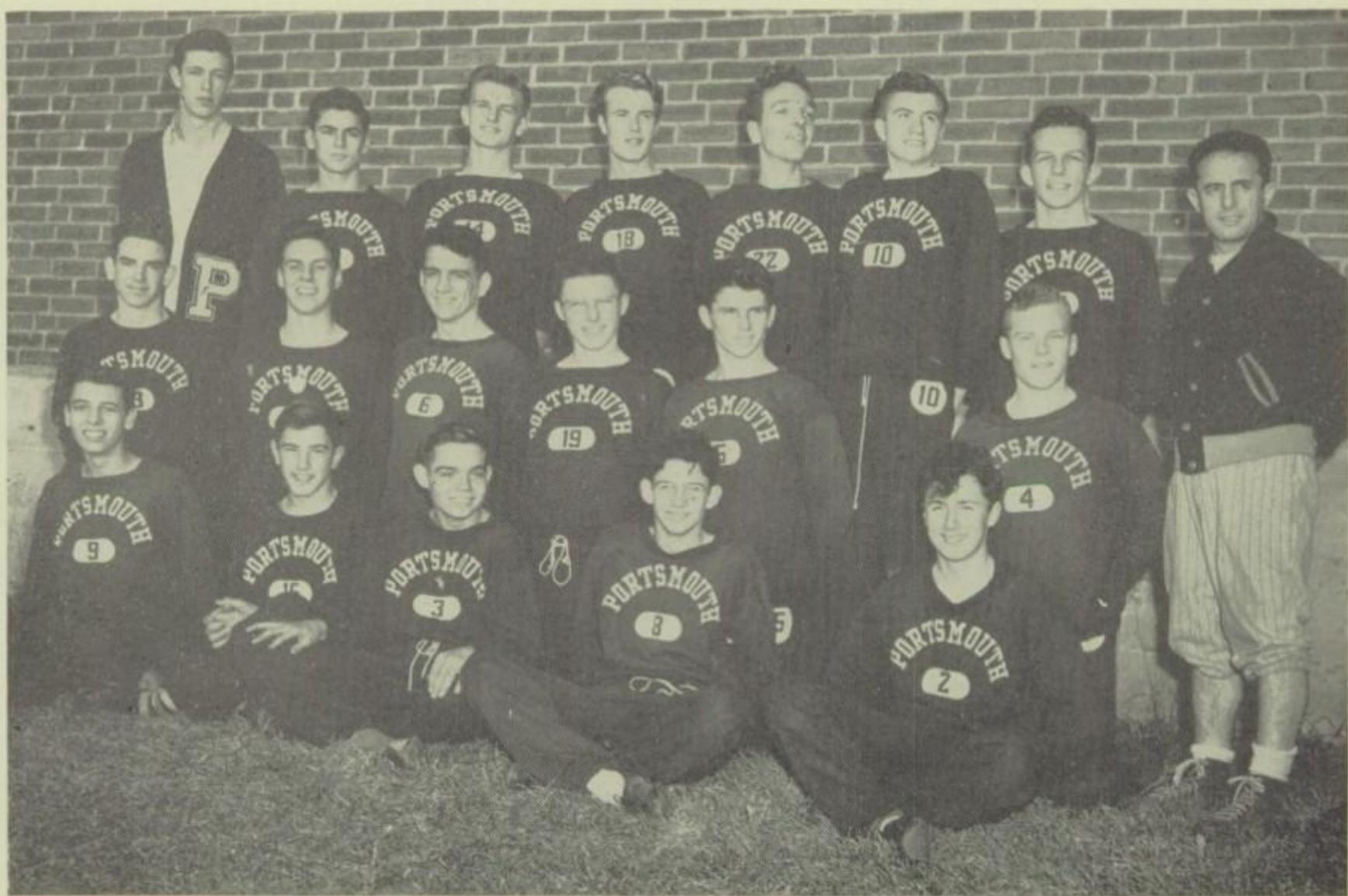
Baseball
Spring
1950

First Row: Reg Ridgeley, James Cotter, Bill Dennison, Al Crosman, Dave Richardson, Larry Carville. Second Row: Emery York, Robert Dockham, Peter O'Donnell, Greg Watters, Milton Bunker, George Pierce, Coach Jim Phillips.



Spring
Track
1950

First Row: Wesley Morgan, Alden Johnson, William Manary, Paul Hopwood, Robert Arsenault, William Rowe, Donald Cooney, William Dedham. Second Row: John Parnham, Coach Casavola, Richard Tremaine, Roland Pomerleau, William Fales, Remo Riciputti, Haskell Dowd, Manager Douglas Gray, William Jacobsmeyer. Third Row: Dick Romagnoli, Richard Crowley, Myron Selzer, John Lyons, Arlo Collins, Harold Morrill.



First Row: Roland Pomerleau, Alden Johnson, Paul Hopwood, Robert Dixon, William Beeder. *Second Row:* William Fales, William Rowe, Robert Arsenault, Richard Caverly, Arthur Splaine, William Tremaine. *Third Row:* John Lyons, Robert Conant, Arlo Collins, Richard Crowley, Barton Seekins, John Parnham, William Dedham, Coach John Casavola.

CROSS COUNTRY

Our 1950 cross country team enjoyed a most successful season meeting defeat only twice, by Concord and Exeter Academy Varsity, State and New England champs.

In our five victorious meets the team showed good balance and gave an excellent display of sportsmanship. Portsmouth was a strong contender for state honors until John Lyons suffered an injury which crippled our chances for the title. In spite of this handicap we placed second in state competition.

Outstanding runners this season were Robert Conant, Robert Arsenault, and Robert Dixon, our sophomore sensation. These boys ran one, two, three in nearly every meet.

An innovation this year was the running of a J. V. schedule. Although losing their three meets the boys showed promise, competing as they did with high and prep school varsity squads including our own. With elements of this year's squad as a nucleus for the varsity next year, we should have a strong, hard-fighting team.

VARSITY

Sept. 22	Portsmouth	15	Traip	50
Sept. 28	Portsmouth	19	York	41
Oct. 6	Portsmouth	38	Exeter	21
Oct. 13	Portsmouth	23	Dover	35
Oct. 27	Portsmouth	32	Concord	25
Nov. 4	Portsmouth	Second in State Meet		
		Won: 3	Lost: 2	

JUNIOR VARSITY

Oct. 6	Portsmouth	31	Exeter	25
Oct. 20	Portsmouth	31	Traip	25
Nov. 6	Portsmouth	37	Exeter	18
Won: 0				Lost: 3



First Row: Paul Hopwood, Alden Johnson, John Parnham, Robert Dixon, William Dedham, Greg Watters. *Second Row:* Reland Pomerleau, Manager; Bruce McDonough, Harold Morrill, William Rowe, Richard Crowley, Robert Arsenault, Charles Campbell, William Jacobsmeyer, Coach Casavola.

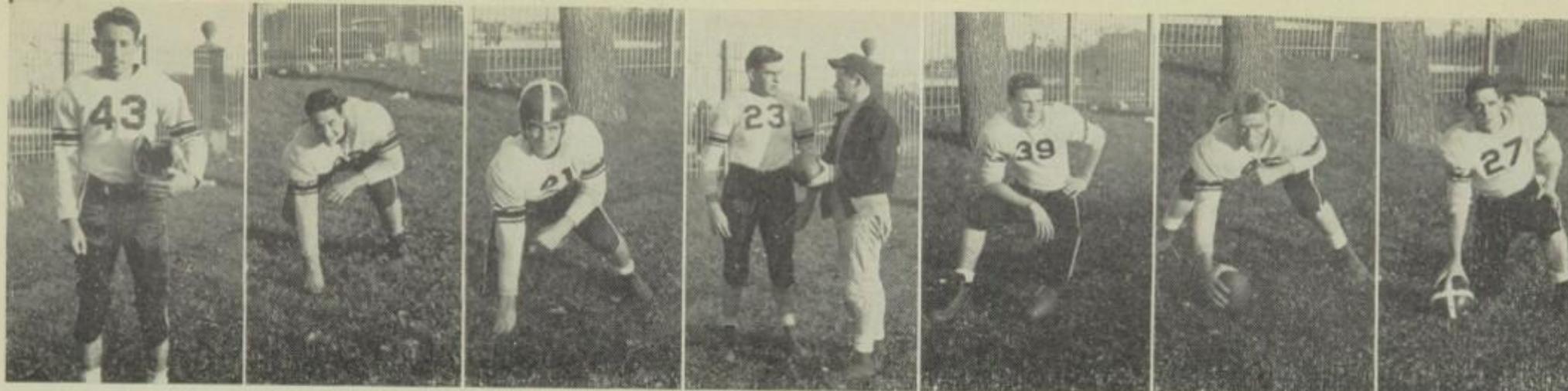
WINTER TRACK

Coach Casavola and his hard-working winter track squad have every reason to consider 1950-51 a good season as they won dual meets with Exeter Academy and Manchester Central.

Lack of training facilities hampered the boys as usual and they lost out in meets at Boston, Bowdoin College and in State competition. However, some excellent individual records were established during the season. Bob Arsenault ran the mile in 4-46 at Bowdoin and Bob Dixon the 1000 in 2-28. Bill Jacobsmeyer was first to break the tape in both the four-forty and the three hundred at the state meet. Portsmouth lost the meet to Manchester Central by dropping the last event.



CHEERLEADERS



JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

The J. V. season for 1950 adds up chiefly to experience. The boys played only three games splitting them three ways, winning one, tying one and losing one. The kids worked hard under coach Casavola and learned a lot of football which they plan to put to good use next year as members of the varsity.

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL—1950

Oct. 11	Portsmouth	6	Governor Dummer	31
Oct. 24	Portsmouth	19	Rochester	19
Nov. 15	Portsmouth	24	Newburyport	0
	Won: 1	Lost: 1	Tied: 1	

First Row: John Seavey, Charles Campbell, Chester Philbrook, Bernard Runser, Peter Stimpson, Harry Gould, Robert Gailey. *Second Row:* John Casavola, Coach; Glen Sellevaag, Burton Robertson, David Meehan, Robert McDonough, Paul Winn, John Roberge, William Niland, Dennis Abbott, Phillip Dow, Manager. Absent when picture was taken: John Driscoll, Ronald Marcotte, Frederick McCaffery, Jon Shumate, Philip Ward, Harold Crossman, Assistant Coach.





VARSITY FOOTBALL

Great praise is due every member of the varsity squad who this year practiced long and played hard to build up a record of which the school can be proud. We know this is not the best record ever, but the boys were honest and sincere and there was nothing but the best of sportsmanship on the playing field.

This year for the first time all games (except for the annual Thanksgiving Day clash with Dover) were played under lights and almost every game in the bitter cold.

Head football coach Arthur Blanchard and assistant coach Edward Petro played no small part in making the season a satisfactory one to all concerned.

VARSITY FOOTBALL—1950

Sept. 23	Portsmouth	16	Laconia	0	Oct. 28	Portsmouth	12	Amesbury	34
Sept. 30	Portsmouth	7	Wakefield	7	Nov. 4	Portsmouth	20	Sanford	7
Oct. 6	Portsmouth	26	Rochester	0	Nov. 11	Portsmouth	6	Wor. North	12
Oct. 13	Portsmouth	24	Newburyport	19	Nov. 23	Portsmouth	13	Dover	6
Oct. 20	Portsmouth	3	Concord	6			Won: 5	Lost: 3	Tied: 1

First Row: John Steere and Paul Folger, Assistant Managers. Second Row: Walter Hett, Frank Capone, Donald Jette, Joseph Lazzara, Rose Bellucci, George Pierce, Fred Locke, Brian Keenan, Reginald Whitehouse. Third Row: Roger Syphers, Richard Arsenault, Arthur Skinner, Loukas Coussoule, Richard Spaulding; Paul Babula, Co-Captain; Nick Paras, Co-Captain; Dick Rutherford, James Cotter, Larry Carle. Fourth Row: Robert Watson, Leonard Ramsey, Ernest Clark, Orien Walker, Richard Shamrell, William Emery, John Barron, Greg Fatters, Milton Pappas, Emery York, Dan McIntire, John Murray, Coach Arthur Blanchard. Absent when picture was taken: Raymond Murphy, Thomas Trueman, Robert Tucker; John Howe, Manager; Assistant Coach Edward Petro.







First Row: Joan Sullivan, Muriel Noseworthy, Lorraine Cameron, Miss Booth, Marjorie Williams, Adele Bennett, Esther Volkmann. Second Row: Lorraine Frenette, Nancy Gorman, Jackie Gillespie, Charlene Hjort, Marilyn Rand, Barbara McKenney. Third Row: Audra Williams, Lorette Benson, Alice Cullinan, Suzanne Gillis, Barbara Marshall, Ruth Jean Storer, Margaret Chandler, Arlene Stanley. Fourth Row: Frances Volkmann, Eleanor Killough, Dorothy Anderson, Betty Margeson, Joan Weston.

G. A. A.

The G. A. A. meets every Monday and Thursday. Approximately one hundred girls participate in the different activities ranging through volleyball, badminton, basketball and softball. During the winter bowling is the major sport.

We are under the capable leadership of Miss Dorothy Booth who is assisted by the officers of the club. Our officers this year are Sheila O'Donnell, president; Betty Aston, vice-president; Beverly Perham, treasurer; and Maureen Leahy, secretary.

At a special assembly in June awards are given for the highest bowling average, to the team with the highest average, to every girl who has a perfect attendance record, and the highest award to the most athletic girl of the year.

For the first time in the history of the school a golf team for girls is planned. Miss Katherine Flanagan is to coach.



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CLIPPERS





First Row: Larry Carville, Paul Babula, Captain Luke Coussoule, Jack Baron, Arthur Splaine. *Second Row:* Coach Edward Petro, Robert Watson, Dick Romagnoli, Dick Rutherford, Joe Lazzara, Manager Dick Spaulding.

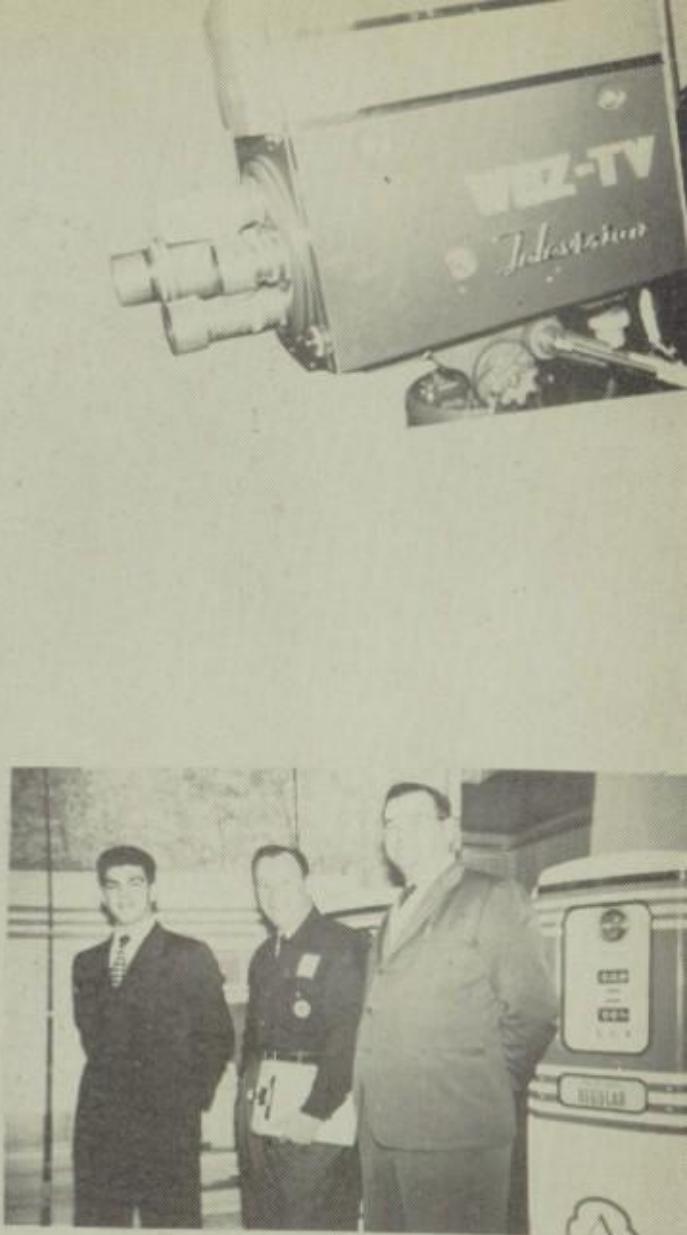
VARSITY BASKETBALL

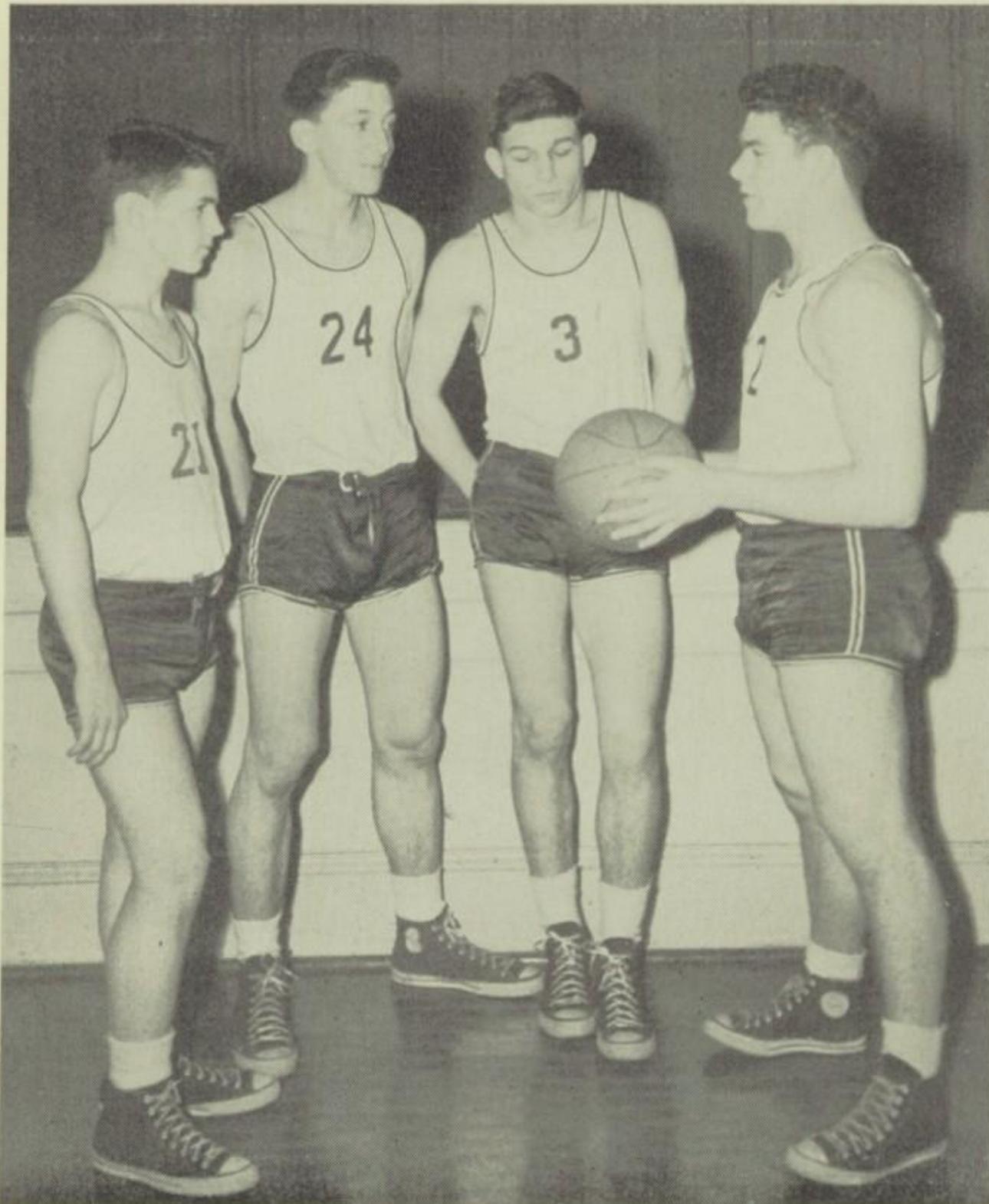
They did it again! Yes, the Clippers went through their usual routine of racking game after game in the win column right down to the end of the season. The only game in the lost column came under the heading, Pawtucket East 44, Portsmouth High 39.

Last year the Clippers lost only five games and played excellent basketball, but this year, under the guiding hand of our new coach, "Big Ed" Petro, and the nimble fingertips of Captain Luke Coussoule, they were better than excellent.

THE RECORD

Portsmouth	38	Alumni	31	Portsmouth	64	St. Joseph's	52
	66	Lynn Classical	45		64	Rochester	43
	39	Pawtucket East	44		46	Keene	38
	57	Keene	49		55	Dover	49
	46	Manchester Central	43		56	Newburyport	34
	68	Rochester	53		60	Concord	44
	56	Concord	42		69	Newburyport	40
	61	Dover	33		72	Berlin	43
	64	Berlin	48		86	St. Joseph's	50
	61	Manchester Central	33		96	Sanford	77
			Won 19		Lost 1		





Left

Art Splaine
Dick Romagnoli

Right

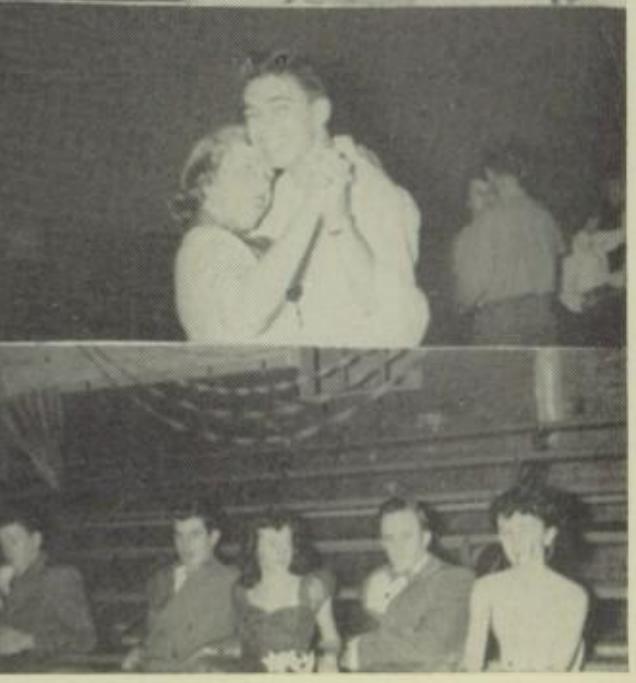
Pro Babula
Luke Coussoule

THE STATE TOURNAMENT

The team in New Hampshire that has won more tournaments than any other, for the second time made it two in a row. The boys went into the tournament in top condition and were ever alert to make use of every advantage.

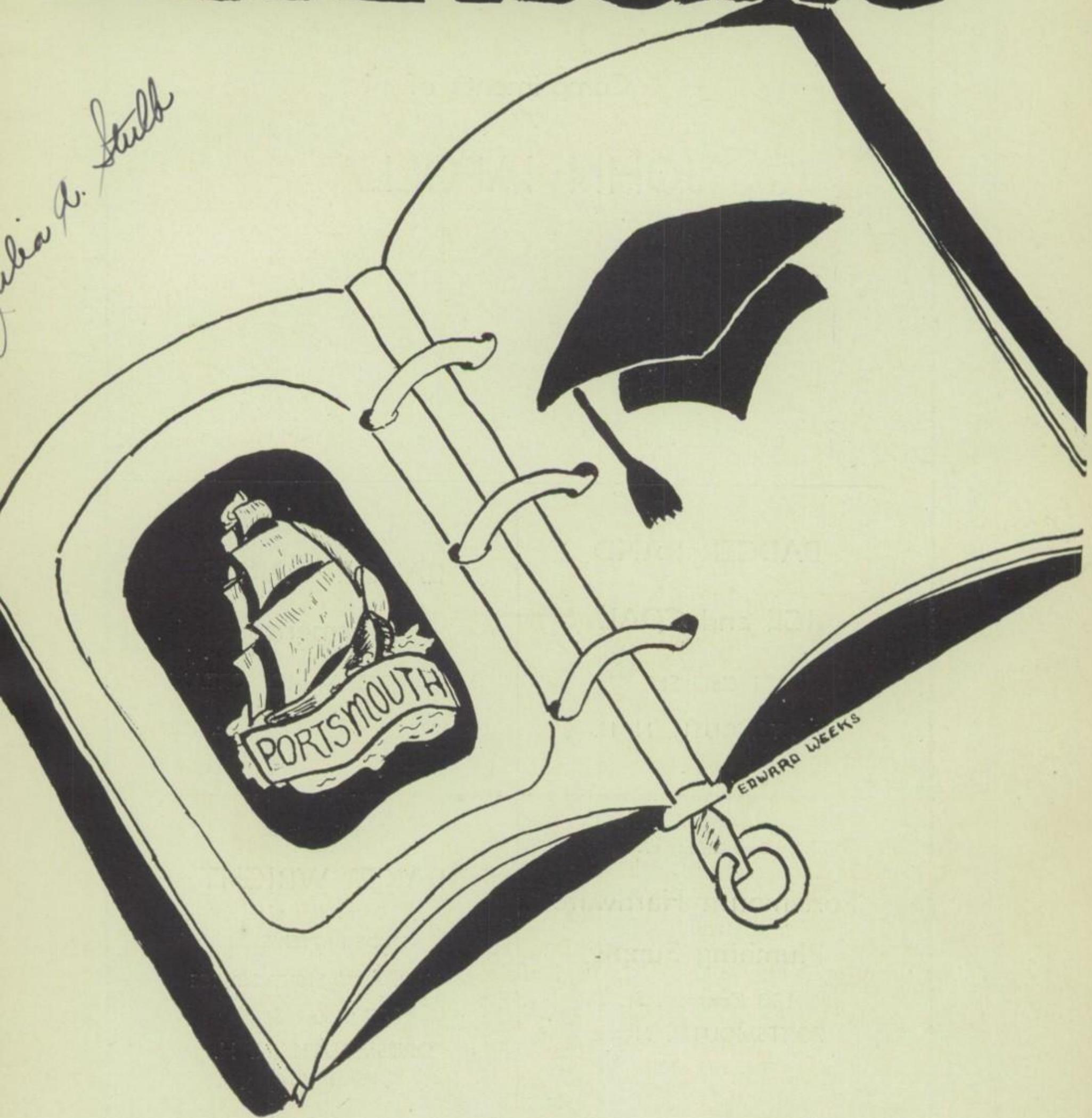
With Dick Romagnoli and Bob Watson as guards, Luke Coussoule and Art Splaine as forwards, and Paul Babula as center the Clippers won over Berlin in the first game 61 to 40. In the second game they matched wits with our former coach, Jim Phillips, and his boys from Manchester Central and crushed their hopes for the crown 41 to 29. In the finals with Concord the score was close in the first three periods, but in the fourth the Clippermen pulled ahead and went on to win the game 41 to 31.

Four Portsmouth players made All State, Paul Babula and Art Splaine as regulars and Luke Coussoule and Dick Romagnoli as utility men.



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